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G. W. PLUMMER MISSING

Has Not Been Heard of For a Week—Foul Play or Suicide Feared—A. P. P. Are Investigating.

G. W. Plummer, an old timer of the district west of Red Deer, has mysteriously disappeared. He was at the Ridgewood community hall on Wednesday night, June 27th, and shortly after midnight he started home with Anderson and P. Lutz, who live near him. He parted with these men at Anderson's farm and went on alone on horseback. Shortly after a very heavy storm broke. He did not reach home, and next morning his horse was found at A. Gehrke's gate. An experienced tracker followed the horse's tracks back. It was apparent that the horse had been riderless for quite a distance, but no traces could be found where Plummer had dismounted.

The court records show that Mrs. Plummer had recently taken an action for divorce and alimony, and obtained an order for payment to her of $100.00 per month interim alimony. This order was served on Plummer Wednesday morning. The records also show that a Mr. Hollenbeck has also an action against Plummer for alienation of his wife's affections, claiming $15,000.00 damages.

In view of the above actions, it was thought at first that Plummer had left the country, but on investigation it was shown that he had a large bank account in Red Deer and all his ready cash was left at home. He also had 4,000 bushels of wheat on the farm. He had bought a ticket to Shelby, Montana, but the ticket is still in Red Deer. The stations or police have no records or recollection of anyone answering to his description leaving Red Deer or Penhold on the night in question.

The above facts point to suicide or foul play, and this theory is strengthened by the discovery yesterday of footprints, thought to be those of Plummer, leading to the river bank and ending there.

CITIZENS' CUP GOES TO NORDEGG

For the first year in the history of the Citizens' Football Cup, Red Deer did not put a team in the field to defend it. There were three teams entered, Parkhill, of the 2nd division, Calgary, Ponoka and Nordegg. Parkhill drew the bye and the other two teams met in the semi-finals at 1.00 o'clock Monday. As soon as play started it was apparent that Nordegg was vastly superior to Ponoka, and within a few minutes they were two goals to the good. The final score of this game was 5-1 in favor of Nordegg.

After several hours' rest Nordegg played the Parkhill eleven. These were a young lot of men and very fast, and for a few minutes they appeared the better team. After a few minutes, however, the weight and experience of the Nordegg eleven began to tell, and the game became more and more of a rout with the miners in the ascendancy. A beautiful shot by their inside left went just under the bar, and the goals then came thick and fast, the final score being 8-0.

The Nordegg eleven are a team that will given them all a run for the provincial honors this year.

78th BATTERY CANADIAN FIELD ARTILLERY

Orders for week ending July 7th, 1923

Drills—

Drills will be held in the Drill Hall on Thursday and Friday evenings of this week, and on Monday, Thursday and Friday evenings of the following week.

Specialists—

All specialists (Gun-layers, Signallers, BC's and GPO's assistants), are required to attend as many practices as possible before camp, in order to attain the requisite standard of efficiency. Instruction will be given these ranks each drill night.

Clothing—

All ranks who intend going to camp should draw clothing and equipment at once from Quartermaster Hurst. The caretaker will issue these any time during the day or on drill nights

Annual Training Practice Camp—

The Firing Detachments will entrain at Red Deer at 3.30 on the morning of the 14th July. A car will be spotted near the station the night before to accomodate those who wish to sleep on board. Breakfast will be served on arrival at Calgary station. Baggage will be taken to camp by motor trucks. The detachments will board street car and ride as far as possible, and march the remainder of the way to camp. Tents will be pitched ready for the detachments on arrival in camp. There will be no irksome fatigues. All the time in camp will be spent in receiving instruction in the many duties of an artilleryman. Trained horses will be taken over for the time being from the Royal Horse Artillery and all equipment necessary will be supplied by "C" Battery, Horse Artillery, who will also supply the instructors. A very interesting training schedule has been arranged, and extensive area is available for training ground, and there will be three days' firing practice at different targets, including the running tank, which calls for a quick eye and quick action on the part of the gunlayer. Valuable prizes are offered in the various competitions, and it is hoped that all concerned will do their best to carry off some of these prizes.

Leave of Absence—

It is necessary for those who cannot attend camp to apply for leave of absence, stating the reason for their being absent. Applications should be sent to the O.C., 78th Battery, C.F.A., for transmission to the General Officer Commanding, who will deal with the applications.

R. S. LISTER, Major,
O.C. 78th Bty., C.F.A.

BIRTH

At Mrs. Simons' nursing home, on June 23rd, to Mr. and Mrs. W. Hambrook, Red Deer, a daughter.

Rotary's Farewell to Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Smith

Friday last the Rotary Club of Red Deer bid farewell to Ed. M. Smith, one of the charter members of the Club, and his respected wife. There was a full attendance of members, their wives, the manager of Chautauqua and the artists on the programme for the day. The Chautauqua artists gave a number of selections during the evening, and Dr. Fox gave a very interesting address on Rotary as conducted in his home town of Pasadena, California, he being an ardent member of the Order and a sturdy champion of boys' work. He was listened to with the greatest attention, and was informed Stevie and his committee had the boys' work well in hand in Red Deer. The visitors made brief but delightful addresses, thanking Rotary for this little touch of friendliness and home life.

During the evening Mrs. Smith was presented with a beautiful bouquet of red roses by the Club, and at the close of the meeting all joined hands and sang Auld Lang Syne.

Ald. Smith has been one of the foremost members of Rotary in Red Deer and his removal will be a distinct loss to the organization here. The best wishes of all go with Mr. and Mrs. Smith to their new home near Los Angeles, California.

NO. 2 PACK WOLF CUBS

The weekly meetings will be discontinued until further notice, as so many of the boys are on holiday, and the Cubmaster will be away for some days. Those boys going in for 2nd Star are requested to continue practicing for the various tests and to obtain blank certificates from the Cubmaster, for examination by the examiners when a boy has been examined in any subject. The Cubmaster will advise as to competent examiners on request.

All boys who have received membership cards are requested to hand them in to the Cubmaster, who will fill in the dates tests were passed and other data. These cards are 5 cents each, and each member of the pack should have one, as they contain all information about tests and other matters connected with Cubbing.

AT THE REX

Tonight and Thursday—Agnes Ayres in "The Daughter of Luxury."
Friday and Saturday — "Hearts Aflame."

EXAMINER'S REVIEW OF PROVINCIAL MARKETS

Calgary, June 28th.

Cattle—

Beef—Not much quality to beef offered at Calgary and market slow, best steers making $5 to $5.75; good, $4.50 to $5; medium, $4 to $4.50; common, $3 to $4. Choice cows, $4.25 to $4.50; good, $3.50 to $4; medium, $2.50 to $3.50; common, $2 to $2.50; canners down to $1.50. Choice heifers will make $6. Calves, choice, $6 to $7.50; common from $2 to $5. Bulls, $2 to $2.50; common down to $1. Feeders, Stockers—Active demand, with plain feeders $4 to $4.25; stocker steers, $2 to $4. Stock heifers, $2 to $3.20; stock cows, $2 to $3.25.

Best—Edmonton prices fairly steady on the choice beef, but most of the trading is in stockers. Choice heavy and light steers, $5 to $6.25, with a few at $6.50; good, $4.75 to $5; medium, $4 to $4.50; common down to $3. Choice cows, $4 to $4.50; good, $3.50 to $4; medium, $2.50 to $3.25; common, $2 to $2.50; canners down to $1.50. Choice heifers up to $5. Calves unchanged with light veal at $6; common calves, $2.50 to $4. Feeders, Stockers—Demand improving, but prices fairly steady with best feeders, $2 to $4; common, $2 to $3. Stock heifers, $2 to $3.25; stock cows, $1.50 to $2.50.

Hogs—

Calgary market last week end held around $8.50, but by Wednesday thick smooths were $8.75; bacon hogs 10 percent premium; today weak at $9.00.

Edmonton hog prices have been advancing from $8.50 last week end, they have come up to $8.75, thick smooths.

Sheep—

Calgary receipts continue light, some good lambs made $12, other prices not established.

Sheep in Edmonton have been fairly scarce, but lambs are quoted at $12.

Grain—

Markets getting weaker on all old crops. Conditions over prairie country very favorable to growing crop. Alberta acreage increased on oats and barley from previous reports. Ample moisture in all districts.

Butterfat—Butter—Cheese—

Butterfat—All cream prices down 1c Wednesday to basis of 28c specials; 1c difference between Calgary and country creameries eliminated. Creamery butter—Cartons and prints down 1c, No. 1, 34c to 35c; No. 2, 30c to 31c. Dairy butter—Receipts 31 kgs., western shipment; eastern shipment lower. Dairy Butter—Light receipts owing to bad roads, prices unchanged. Cheese—Price down 2c, to 22c on stiltons and 20c on twins.

Eggs—Poultry—

Eggs—Calgary prices lower, receipts light; No. 1, 17c; No. 2, 15c to 16c; cracks, 8c. Poultry—Store spring chickens coming and price down to 16c to 18c; heavy fowl, 14c, light 11c.

Potatoes—

Calgary market very quiet; good grade around $15 delivered.

Hay—

Business very quiet; new alfalfa expected to be worth around $11 on opening of season.

Hides—

Market lower with green salted butchers at 6c; farm killed, 4c; kip, 6c; calf, 7c. Horse hair down to 20c to 30c; market very bad.

Wool—

Western dealers quote 20c on fine and medium grades; coarse at value.

CRICKET

Red Deer Versus Calgary C.P.R.

The Red Deer Cricket Club, weakened by the absence of Neal and Kent, played their annual match with the Calgary C.P.R. XI. on July 2nd, and suffered defeat by 7 wickets after an interesting 2 innings match. The pitch was tricky all the time, balls bumping and shooting alternately, and scores were therefore low. The local team batted first, but found the bowling too strong for their defence. Steward alone reached double figures, making 15 in short time. Bowle, Edis, and Buck contributed some support, but the side was all out for the small total of 39. The Calgary bowlers, Lockett, Bushell, Newton, Ingle, divided the wickets pretty evenly between them. The Calgary team passed the Red Deer score with 4 wickets in hand, but the remaining wickets fell cheaply before the steady bowling of Lavender and Hopkins, each of whom claimed 5 victims, Hopkins having the good analysis of 5 for 28. The two outstanding batsmen were Wigney and Lockett, who batted alternately for 29 and 29 respectively. Red Deer did far better in their second innings, scoring 80—Stanhouse, 16, Lavender, 16, and Bowle, 13, all hitting well. Calgary had an easy task of making 31 runs in their 2nd innings, and Lockett and Booth put the matter beyond all doubt by their free, confident batting. They were favoured by several bad mistakes in the field, Hopkins having a couple of bad misses at his expense. The winning hit was made with 8 wickets in hand, leaving Calgary a good margin of victory. Apart from the points already noted, a striking feature of the game was the way Calgary stole runs; at times it was practically "hit and run"; and, making all allowance for the rough ground, the Red Deer men seemed somewhat slow in anticipating the ball and inaccurate in throwing. Among the exceptions must be mentioned the safe fielding by Lavender and a brilliant left-handed catch by Steward at point. To sum up, it was a good match, played in the sporting spirit synonymous with cricket, and the better side won.

Red Deer—1st Innings

Scott, b Lockett	0
Lavender, c Digger, b Lockett	1
Bowle, b Bushell	5
Steward, b Bushell	15
Edis, b Newtown	5
Buck, c Ingles b Newtown	6
Muir, b Newtown	0
Stonehouse, b Ingles	0
Hopkins, not out	3
McComas, b Newtown	0
Filmer, b Ingles	0
Extras	8
Total	39

Red Deer—2nd Innings

Stonehouse, b Bushell	16
Lavender, b Booth	16
Bowle, c Alderman b Bushell	13
Steward, c and b Bushell	6
Hopkins, b Booth	1
Edis, b Bushell	1
Buck, b Booth	7
Muir, c Newtown b Bushell	0
McComas, c Alderman b Bushell	2
Filmer, not out	0
Extras	18
	80

C.P.R.—1st Innings

Wigney, b Hopkins	28
Cooper, b Lavender	6
Booth, c Steward b Hopkins	2
Lockett, not out	29
Newtown, c and b Lavender	1
Alderman, b Lavender	1
Bushell, c Steward b Lavender	1
Ingles, b Hopkins	2
Brand, b Hopkins	0
Parker, b Hopkins	0
Goodey, b Lavender	3
Extras	12
	89

C.P.R.—2nd Innings

Lockett, run out	11
Booth, b Lavender	4
Cooper, b Hopkins	4
Bushell, st. Steward b Hopkins	7
Wigney, not out	3
Alderman, not out	3
Extras	5
Total for 4 wickets	46

BOY SCOUT WORK

Local Association Formed, With a Strong Executive.

It is hoped that a strong impetus will be given to Scout work in Red Deer by the recent formation of a local association. A strong executive committee has been elected, with Judge Mahaffy as chairman, and Commissioner A. T. Stephenson as vice-chairman, the other members being H. Snell, F. W. Galbraith, P. E. Graham, and Rev. G. McComas, with G. N. Finn as secretary-treasurer pro tem. At a recent meeting the committee decided to make a big effort to enlist the sympathy of all parents and adults who have the interests of the boys at heart and to enroll them as members of the local association. A nominal fee of $1.00 per annum will be charged. The need of some such body is keenly felt by the Scoutmasters and Cubmasters. Messrs. Crosby, Gall, Callender and Lister are doing an invaluable work with few signs of interest from the public generally. They feel the need of the sympathy and support of the whole community. The work of the local association will be to stand behind these men who are giving their best in voluntary service. It is they who are bearing the brunt of the work; the least that the community can do is to give them all possible help.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Ellis left last week on a motor trip through the States. They will visit the Yellowstone Park, if possible.

At the League baseball meeting held in Lacombe the game of last Thursday night was awarded to Lacombe, the other three teams in the league voting against Red Deer. The game was awarded to Red Deer because a Lacombe player refused to obey the umpire and the action of the League will surely cause further similar incidents.

LOCAL NEWS

Red Deer vs. Bentley, Friday night.

Mrs. Donald Smith is visiting her parents in Ontario.

Mrs. Chas. Anderson is in Red Deer from Fernie, B.C., visiting her parents.

Mr. D. McIntyre, of Avon, Ontario, was a visitor last week with James Bannerman.

Wm. Rudderham, of Calgary, visited his daughter, Mrs. C. Hewson, on the holiday.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Teeling are in the city for a month. Walter being engaged on the C.P.R.

Miss Maggie Wilson, who has been training in Calgary, is visiting her parents in Red Deer.

Miss Pash, of the High School staff, is attending the summer school for teachers at the University.

Mrs. T. N. Haig, of Edmonton, is on her vacation, and is visiting her sister, Mrs. John McMillan.

Miss Kate Caresswell, who is teaching at Stauffer, came home Saturday for a few days' holiday.

Mrs. D. McGregor left Sunday on a visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Lowe, who now reside in Oregon.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Willson have returned from their trip to the States. They report having had a wonderful trip.

The Misses Smith and Bryson, of the school staff, otherwise known as "The Twins," are camping at Sylvan Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Cassels and their guest, Miss Molly Cassels, of Edinburgh, are at their summer cottage at Sylvan Lake.

Miss Ina Greene, daughter of Judge Greene, of Medicine Hat, has been visiting at Red Deer and Sylvan Lake.

Dr. Sanders went to Edmonton on Monday with Jimmie and returned, while Jimmie went on alone to the Coast for a visit.

Rev. Eber Crummy left the city yesterday. Other local ministers and many friends were at the depot to bid him Godspeed.

The public library will be closed during the month of August. All books out are requested to be returned by Saturday, July 28th.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Carswell, of Red Deer, and Mr. and Mrs. A. Wood and family, of Penhold, are occupying the Dewdney cottages at the Lake during July and August.

Rev. H. C. Olsen will be in attendance during July at the Baptist encampment at Gull Lake, returning to Red Deer each week end for Sunday service.

H. G. Scott, Jas. Shannon and Percy Kent are in attendance at the Veterans' convention at the coast. Percy Kent is the official delegate from Red Deer branch.

The recent rain storms have been the heaviest Red Deer has experienced for many years. Hail has fallen in some localities and the insurance men report many claims.

Mrs. Bennet, Myrtle Bennet and Miss Jaunita Gaetz left on Friday to spend the week-end in the Okanagan Valley. Mary Leonard and Sue Roberts left on Sunday to join them.

Jim Hutcheon, formerly of Red Deer, now a traveller out of Calgary, won the city golf championship at Calgary on the tournament just finished. He won the Alberta championship last fall.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Jones will leave for Springfield, Nova Scotia, on Thursday. Mr. Jones has been a popular member of the school teaching staff and will be missed by many friends in the city.

Miss Etta Smith and Miss Mitchell left Monday for a summer vacation at the Coast, where they have taken a cottage. They will be accompanied by Miss Clara Tyner, of Edmonton, who is now at Nelson, B.C.

Miss Ardena Baker, who has been teaching at Rocky Mountain House, was brought to Red Deer the end of last week and operated on for appendicitis, since when she has been doing well.

On Monday night the Red Deer Cricket Club entertained the visiting C.P.R. cricketers at a dance and card party in the Alexandra Hall. Despite other attractions, there was a good attendance and everyone enjoyed the evening.

The Red Deer Golf Club entertained Mr. and Mrs. Ed. M. Smith and Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Wright, who are leaving the city, at a picnic and dance in the club house on Wednesday, June 27. A very pleasant supper and dance, with Bone's orchestra supplying the music, filled in the evening.

Gertie Harper, Billie Connell, Janet Sharman, Bernice Hepworth, David Muir, Ruby Sheen, Frances Trueman, Preston Wright, Lillian Carscadden, Margaret Connell, Fanny Harper and Owen Miller all had perfect attendance at school from September, 1922, to June, 1923.

Geo. Best has just received word from the head office that he was awarded third prize for the window display of congoleum rugs during congoleum week, and that a hand some leather club bag was being forwarded to him. This competition was open to all Canada, and it is quite an achievement for Red Deer to get in on the prizes.

BANQUET TO ED. M. SMITH

Judging from the attendance, the addresses and the spontaneous applause of those present at the banquet yesterday, there has never been a citizen of Red Deer depart who has taken with him more of the good wishes, respect and friendship of the citizens than will Ed. M. Smith, who leaves Red Deer for California at the end of the week.

The St. Luke's W.A. served a very nice luncheon sharp at 12.30. After the coffee, various speakers, on behalf of organizations to which he has belonged, made brief mention of his activities and his ability, expressed regret at his departure and wished him Godspeed in his new undertaking.

Alderman McClure spoke on behalf of the City Council and the Hospital Board, of which Mr. Smith has been a member.

R. L. Gaetz, on behalf of the Board of Trade, complimented Mr. Smith on his work in Red Deer, and asked him to bear a message of good-will to the country to which he is going.

W. E. Lord and W. B. Payne, K.C., also spoke to the guest, and S. Hogg then presented Mr. Smith with a gold headed cane as a token of the good will of the citizens of Red Deer.

After these speeches had been heartily singing "For He's a Jolly Good Fellow." Mr. Smith replied. He expressed the deep feeling he had for Red Deer and the friends he was leaving. He had been glad to do what he could to help while in Red Deer, and felt that it was every man's duty to take responsibility in the affairs of the city and help Red Deer over the lean years. Red Deer is one of the beauty spots of Canada, and her financial position is daily becoming better. He would have an open home in California so far as any citizens of Red Deer were concerned, and hoped to see many of them visit him.

Those who arranged the luncheon are to be congratulated on the way it was carried through.

PENHOLD NOTES

The W.I. met at the residence of Mrs. Haise on Thursday with twenty present.

It was moved and seconded that we put forth every effort to make our bazaar the centre of attraction at the Fall Fair.

A letter from the Olds School of Agriculture, inviting members to visit them, was read and filed, and the secretary was instructed to write and thank them.

Mrs. McDougall, as constituency convener, gave a brief account of the annual convention, and then Mrs. Ross, our official delegate, gave a full and comprehensive account, which was most interesting.

Moved by Mrs. Harte, seconded by Mrs. Lee, that we give Mrs. Ross a hearty vote of thanks. Carried.

Mrs. Fead was warmly applauded for her excellent paper on immigration.

Miss Hives was named secretary during the absence of Mrs. Wood.

The next meeting will be held on the 4th Thursday in August in the hall, with Mrs. Lynes, Mrs. Hilditch and Miss Hives as hostesses.

The ladies voted on Miss Noble 1st or Mrs. Huych 2nd choice to speak at the convention in September.

It was also decided to have a course on millinery in May next.

Mrs. Collins, milliner of Edmonton, then gave a few interesting remarks on cleaning old hats.

Tea was served by the hostess, and the meeting closed at 5.30.

It was voted that we forego the grant of $10 from the government. Carried.

Mr. and Mrs. England and son, who have been visiting Mr. England's brother, left for home on Thursday.

Alf. Fye and his sister have gone to the coast on the special trip for Veterans.

Mrs. A. Wood and children are holiday-making at Sylvan Lake.

Jack Leithead and his wife have taken advantage of the Veterans' trip to the Coast.

Penhold won out in the baseball tournament at the picnic of the Red Deer Board of Trade. They now have a re-match to play.

The school basketball team played their first game with outsiders on July 2nd when they went to Innisfail and played a hard fought two-sided game, losing 10 to 24. Our girls showed remarkable pluck and good sportsmanship, and with more training will make an excellent team. They will meet the Innisfail team again on Sports Day at Penhold, July 6th. Penhold's line-up is as follows: Forwards, Margaret Mead, Maud Pye; centres, Florence Whiteside, Opal Parsons; guards, Agnes McAllister, Eva Page.

Penhold School Promotions

Tom Hives, honors; Chester Hilditch, honors; Clarence Oldford, passed; Vera Saturley, passed; Bruce Oldford, passed; Gladys Douglas, recommended.

From Grade V. to VI.—Bruce Simpson, honors; Agnes Wells, passed; Louis Henderson, passed; Arthur Johnson, passed; Jas. Walker, passed.

From Grade IV. to V.—Maude Bagley, honors; Margaret Henderson, passed; Florence Henderson, passed; Dewey Bagley, passed; Francis Harte, passed; David Walker, passed; Benny Simpson, passed.

From Grade III. to IV.—Muriel Stewart, passed; Walter Amear, passed; Laura Johnson, passed.

From Grade II. to III.—Kenneth Haise, passed; Catherine Wells, passed.

From Grade IA to II.—Clifford Strong, passed; Charlie Wood, passed; Bertha Posegate, passed.

From Grade IB to IA—Masie Simpson, passed; Elba Amear, passed; Elsie Henderson, passed; Maty Johnson, passed; Stanley Lee, passed.

VALLEY CENTRE NEWS

On June 30th the Hillsdown Valley Women's Institute and the Valley Centre school picknicked on Mr. The Kaiser's beautiful grounds, near the Red Deer East bridge.

Nature donned her broadest smile for the occasion, and not a cloud crossed the face of old Sol during the entire day.

The day was filled to the brim with pleasure, for a long list of events for the juniors was called off, and three games of baseball were played, with the following results:

Valley Centre v. Hillsdown—12-9 in favor of Valley Centre.

Springvale v. Valley Centre—10-7 in favor of Springvale.

Valley Centre school team v. Hillsdown school—10-9 in favor of Valley Centre.

Mrs. Tallman, teacher of Valley Centre school, takes this opportunity of thanking the Hillsdown Valley Women's Institute for their loyal cooperation and support during the year in the endeavor to add to the happines of the pupils of the school.

At Xmas time, the Institute helped with the Xmas Tree treat. This season they presented to the school a basketball outfit and a swing, and now to them is due a day of unalloyed pleasure for the whole community. Long may this body continue its activities in scattering sunshine and lending a hand.

Nor must we forget to acknowledge the help we have received from the gentlemen of the district, who, like true knights of old, have on every occasion hastened with their strong arms to relieve the ladies of the heavier labor and render every assistance possible.

Valley Centre School Promotions June, 1923.

(In order of merit)

Grade II to III.—Pearl Reay, Daniel Clarke, Margaret Stewart.

Grade III. to IV.—Adrian Tallman, James Kaiser.

Grade IV. to V.—Jennie Reay, Elsie Pearson, John Kaiser, Gordon Stewart.

Grade V. to VI.—Wesley Pearson, Christie Reay, Jackie Corrigan, Ethel Clarke, Gertrude Stewart.

Grade VI. to VII.—Enid Kaiser.

Grade VII. to VIII.—Loring Pollock, Tommie Corrigan, Isabel Clarke, Emily Reay, Robert Corrigan, John Purdie, Austin Clarke, Milford Reay.

Grade IX. to X.—Subject to the approval of the Department of Education: Esther Bolze.

WEEKLY NEWS LETTER

Reduced Rates on Cream Cans

Rreduced rates on three gallon cream cans for shipment by express will be available to farmers. Some time ago an appeal was made to the railway bpard for a return to the express rate on cream in effect before February, 1921. This the railway board refused, and an appeal was taken by, on behalf of the dairy interests, to the privy council in England, which body reversed the decision of the railway board and granted the reduction, which meant that the rates on cream reverted to those in effect before 1921. In the meantime, A. Chard, provincial freight supervisor, had obtained a three-gallon can rate, and, technically speaking, the reduction authorized by the privy council did not apply to the three gallon cans. Mr. Chard took this matter up with the railway board at the sitting at Edmonton last week, when C. M. Ham, traffic manager of the express traffic association, agreed to the rate applying to the three gallon cans, subject to a minimum of 15 cents under a 25 mile haul.

New Line to Peace River

The intention of the Canadian National Railways to build a line into the Peace River from the main line west of Edmonton, was announced by Sir Henry Thornton, president of the national railways. The line will probably be commenced next year, survey parties being in the field this year.

Internal Elevator for Edmonton

Preliminary estimates have been introduced in the commons at Ottawa, for the commencement of construction of an internal government grain elevator at Edmonton, which it is expected will eventually cost in the neighborhood of one million dollars. This will greatly facilitate the establishment of the western route for grain shipments.

Summer School as Usual

Though the department of education adopted a new policy in connection with the summer school for teachers this year, in an effort to make the school self-supporting, by charging a fee for tuition and requiring those attending to pay their own expenses, the response has been very gratifying. It is expected that the total attendance will be about 300. The following courses are being included this year, the school opening July 3rd.

Educational Psychology, Educational Problems, Educational Administration, (Course for Second Class Certificate); The Measurement of the Results of Teaching, The Principal and his School; Teaching English in High Schools (Course for Academic Certificate); Geography; Methods of teaching Art in High Schools, Industrial Art Methods, Drawing and Painting, Geography, General Science, Elementary Science, Primary Music, Rhythmical Games, Primary English, Child Psychology, Physical Education, the Course for British and American Teachers, and the subjects of Grade XI. Teachers who wish to prepare for matriculation in the languages will have an opportunity at the Summer School. The usual courses of the first and second year are being offered by the University. General Science is the one of the subjects in Grade IX. for next year. Rural teachers who are likely to have pupils in this grade will find the Summer School course an excellent preparation for the teaching of this subject.

Up to the present time sufficient applications have not been received to justify the Summer School in offering courses in First Aid, Home Nursing and Hygiene. If, however, the required number of applications are received by registration day, these courses will be offered.

Concurrently with the summer classes of the Department of Education the University of Alberta offers summer courses in a number of academic subjects, and the time immediate registration on the part of those interested. The courses offered are principally in subjects of the first and second year of the Faculty of Arts, but there are also some Senior courses on the programme, especially in the Department of Psychology. The only limitation which the University imposes is that there shall be a minimum registration of five students in every course or portion of a course offered.

Excellent residential accommodation for students is provided at a very reasonable figure on the University Campus.

DOMINION DAY SPORTS

The Dominion Day sports and free community picnic, held Monday, went off without a hitch. Over two thousand people from Red Deer and surrounding districts thronged the grounds, and the reporter heard no one state that they had a dull day.

Unfortunately the race track was slightly wet in spots, but it was possible to avoid these places for the track events, and they did not appear to effect the horse racing.

The day's program opened with baseball, when Horn Hill trimmed Shady Nook, the game starting at 10.30 a.m. All the community teams had flocks of rooters, and great interest was taken in the games. At 1.30 Penhold defeated Willowdale in a well fought game. Bill Day tried to steal home in the last inning to tie the score, but was caught by the third out. At 4 o'clock Horn Hill and Penhold locked horns. Horn Hill had used their star pitcher for the morning game, but Jack Domoney performed well on the mound. However, when the smoke had cleared after the last inning, it was found that Penhold was one run in front. Mc-Kenzie and E. McKenzie composed the Penhold battery.

The track events were very popular, especially with the kiddies, as the committee had a large supply of popcorn and no contestant drew a blank. The results of the track events and horse racing were as follows:

Girls' race, 8 and under—1 Meta Stagg, Red Deer; 2 Evelyn Nichols, Red Deer.

Boys' race, 8 and under—1 Pat Sucee, Red Deer; 2 Gerald Trueman, Red Deer.

Girls' race, 8 to 12 years—1 Lily McConnell, Red Deer; 2 Lillian Krause, Red Deer.

Boys' race, 8 to 12—1 Lyndon Brewerton, Red Deer; 2 Arthur Gordon, Red Deer.

Girls' race, 12 to 16, 75 yards—1 Vera Houston, Red Deer; 2 Esther Staples, Red Deer.

Boys' race, 12 to 16, 75 yards—1 McGregor Parsons, Red Deer; 2 Angus Bannerman, Red Deer.

Grade VI. to VII.—Enid Kaiser.

Grade VII. to VIII.—Loring Pollock, Tommie Corrigan, Isabel Clarke, Emily Reay, Robert Corrigan, John Purdie, Austin Clarke, Milford Reay.

Grade IX. to X.—Subject to the approval of the Department of Education: Esther Bolze.

Married women, open, 75 yards—1 Mrs. Roy Pye, Horn Hill; 2 Mrs. Bailey, Red Deer.

Fat men, 75 yards—1 Fred Domonoy, Horn Hill; 2 Jno. McBride, Red Deer; 3 R. Barrett, Red Deer.

Men, open, 220 yards—Roy Brewer, Blackfalds; 2 Fred McBride, Red Deer Threading needle, open—1 Mrs. M. E. Morton, 2 Myrtle Jenson.

Potato race, 12 to 16—1 Eric Goodacre, Red Deer; 2 Keith Bennett, Red Deer.

Half mile walk, men—1 Chas. Wright, Red Deer; 2 Vic Bjorkvland, Horn Hill.

220 yards walk, ladies—1 Esther Staples, 2 Levina Hart, both of Poplar Ridge.

Relay race, 440 yards—1 Roy Brewer, McBride, L. Turney and A. Dale, Red Deer; 2 R. Pye, Fred Domoney, C. Parker, R. Pye, Horn Hill.

Tug-of-war—Red Deer beat Nordegg.

Aged Ford car slow race—1 C. Parker, Horn Hill; 2 J. LeBlanc, Blackfalds.

HORSE RACES

Indian pony, half mile—1 Richards, Horn Hill; 2 Bruno, Sarcee Reservation.

Pony race, 14.2, open, half mile—1 Sam Wilson; 2 Lorraine Bros., Pine Lake; 3 Leithead, Horn Hill.

Ladies' race for all, half mile—1 Lobb, 2 Lawrence Bros., 3 Mrs. McBride.

Free for all, half mile—1 Lobb, 2 Lawrence Bros., 3 Lawrence Bros.

At the dance in the evening there was a fine crowd. The floor and music were good, and all present had a splendid evening.

While full reports are not yet available, it appears as if the day was financially a success, as the two booths operated on the grounds and the dance proceeds should pay all expenses.

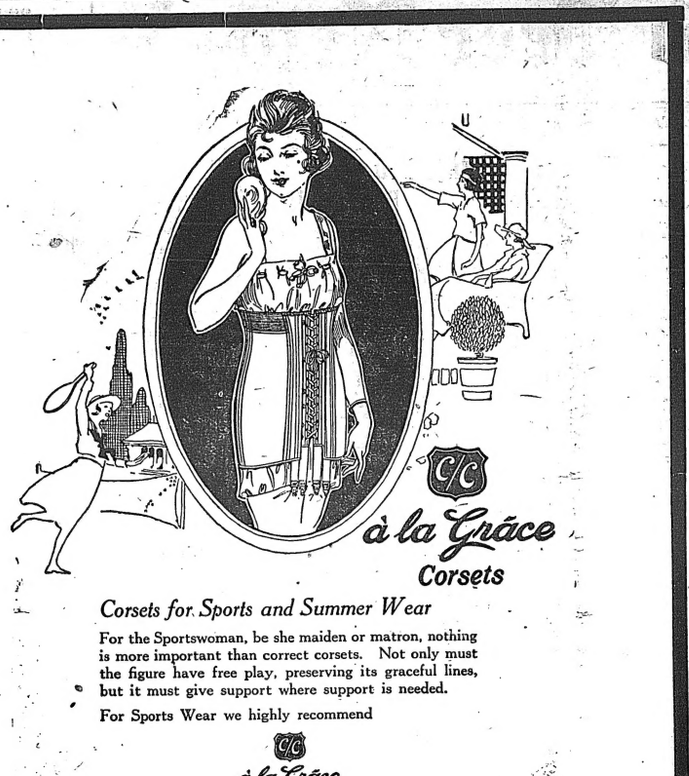
One unfortunate accident marred the afternoon, when Miss Ridgley, while riding Don Bower's horse in the ladies' horse race, was thrown and her breast bone cracked. She was rushed up town and from last reports is doing well.

The picnic was somewhat of an innovation in Red Deer, and we are pleased indeed to report it a great success of the day. We heard many expressions of gratitude for the action of the Board of Trade, and we think that the receipts taken by the merchants will be more than made up to them.

Great thanks are due the various committees who shouldered the responsibility of putting the day over.

Allister Locke, of Toronto, is visiting with Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Moore.

Donald McVicar, son of Rev. A. McVicar, M.A., D.D., of Inwood, Ont., who has taken second year work in McGill, Montreal, took first class University honors in philosophy, political economy and English. He also obtained a $100 scholarship offered by the Theological College to those taking a good stand in the University. Donald, who is now on a mission field near Ottawa, is a nephew of John McVicar Red Deer.



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M.D. OF GOLDEN WEST

The fourth regular meeting of the Council of the M.D. of Golden West, No. 371, was held in the municipal office at Sylvan Lake on June 16, Reeve Rogers presiding, and all the members of Council in attendance.

The meeting was opened at 1:30 p.m.

Correspondence

Several letters on general matters and advertising were read and ordered filed.

J. L. Jamieson, superintendent of the C.P.R. at Edmonton, wrote on May 29, stating that material was ordered to fix up a bridge on the road between sections 16 and 17-38-28-4, and that he did not consider that a bridge was necessary between sec. 17 and 18 of the same township and range, as that road was not yet opened up, and in a wet season it could not be traversed, and suggested that arrangements be made to use a bridge just west of the road allowance for which the railway Company had given Blakely Bros. material to build.

The secretary was instructed on motion by Rogers to advise the C.P.R. that a bridge on the road allowance crossing the C.P.R. ditch between sections 17 and 18-38-28-4 was necessary.

The Department of Municipal Affairs advised on May 11 that an order was made by the Board of Public Utility Commissioners regarding the cancellation of Plan 2866 A.Z., Glenallen.

S. G. Carlyle, Recorder of Brands at Edmonton, advised that our application for Pound District brands would receive attention.

A. T. Stephenson, Red Deer, sent list of lots in subdivisions of Woodlands, South Mount Royal and Riverview, which the city is getting cancelled, and advised that they were not assessable until the subdivisions were cancelled and the lots sold.

The President of the Red Deer Agricultural Society, wrote asking for a donation for the Red Deer Fair. The Council were unanimous in their expression of good will for the Red Deer Fair, but regretted that the finances of the Municipality would not warrant them making any donation this year.

Donald Cameron, M.P.P., of Elnora, wrote stating that the Government road grant from the Innisfail district to this Municipality this year would be $250, and also that it was his intention to attend this meeting if roads and other circumstances permitted.

T. Speck, of Red Deer, wrote regarding the assessment on section 9-37-28-4. The secretary was instructed regarding reply.

E. F. Krause, H. L. Austin and W. Sibley appealed against damages claimed by E. Faucher on account of animals impounded by him on May 31. The animals, about 15 head of horses, were taken off the patrol kept by Geo. Webster on S.W. 32-38-28-4 on May 31, by E. Faucher, who claimed damages of $1 per head and 25¢ per head for impounding. The charges on eight head were paid by the owners under protest. The Council were unanimous in the decision that the damages committed by stock on the place where they were trespassing at that date would be negligible, and the fee of 25¢ per head was not legal. It was therefore moved by Councillor Stringer that the claim for damages be not allowed respecting any of the stock impounded on that date, and that the money paid under protest by the appellants be refunded. Carried. The Secretary was instructed to advise the poundkeeper accordingly.

A. McVicar, living near Sylvan Lake, attended the meeting and asked that a hill on the road near his farm on section 15-38-1-5, be graded down. Councillor Smith explained that as the road in question was at the present time passable, and as good as many other roads in the district, and in view of the large amount of work required there, it would not be possible to complete the work this year, but that as much as possible would be done on that particular hill.

Gus. Hill wanted a road completed from his place north to the township line.

Mr. Neilson, of Benalto, wanted a road opened up east of Benalto. Councillor Isaacson promised to do what he could in the matter.

Resolution authorizing the borrowing of not more than $9,000 from the Imperial Bank was moved by Councillor Smith, and agreed to.

Moved by Councillor Smith that L. A. Johnson be appointed poundkeeper in Division No. 5, pound to be kept on the N.E. of section 13-38-2-5. Councillor Isaacson was of the opinion that it was necessary that a bylaw should be passed before pounds could be established, and poundkeepers appointed. The secretary referred the Council to sections 13 and 22, Domestic Animals Act (Municipalities), which defined all municipalities as pound districts, and provided that pounds should be established and poundkeepers appointed to provide reasonable facilities in all parts of the municipality for impounding animals unlawfully running at large. Councillors Isaacson and Stringer stated that it was very difficult to secure men to act as poundkeepers under the present Act. This was endorsed by all the Council.

The following accounts and paysheets were presented and found correct and ordered to be paid:—Div. No. 1—Canada Ingot Iron Co., $125.09; Alex Gehrke, account road work, $11; C. H. Braithwaite, Council fees, $25. Div. 2—Western Steel Products Co., machinery, $253.27; Oscar Selstrom, machinery, $7; Sawyer Massey Co., machinery, $3.14; E. J. Beeson, Council fees, $45. Div. 3—W. H. Stringer, Council fees, $25. A. K. Sigurdson, machinery repairs, Div. 3 and 4, $66. Div. 4—McLarty Hardware Co., material, $19.75; Ezra Isaacson, material, $11; McDonnell Bros., material, $4. Div. 2 and 5—Toney Mosiuk, repairs, $27.75. Div. 4—Alfred Isaacson, Council fees, $25. Div. 5—M. Berthenson, labor, $2.50; Sandy Smith, labor, $18.75, $38.50; C. Hendrickson, repairs, $1.75; Asa. B. Whyte repairs, $8.30; D. A. & H. H. Jamieson, repairs, 90¢; John E. Smith, Council fees, $25. Div. 6—D. A. & H. H. Jamieson, material, $1.50; R. C. Blakley, labor, $40; Arther Rogers, Council fees, $50; Geo. Woods, pound account, $3.05, $5.55. The Workmen's Compensation Board, balance, 1922, $23.95, 1923 $21.75; Western Municipal News, stationery and pound forms, $9.95; News Publishing Co., advertising, $1.10; Red Deer Advocate, advertising, $1; Sylvan Lake World, stationery, $17.75; W. H. Stringer, account phones, $1.25; Atlas Lumber Co., office building account, $351.15; John Lurka, office building account, $156.80; Sylvan Lake Co-operative Co., building account, $51; Paysheet No. 2, Div. No. 4, $91; paysheet No. 3, Div. No. 4, $160.

Moved by Councillor Rogers that the next meeting of the Council be held at Sylvan Lake on July 21. Carried.

The Council adjourned at 6 p.m.

Councillors Stringer, Isaacson, Smith, Braithwaite and Beeson met in the office with G. W. Smith, M.P.P., and E. Ainsworth, inspector of roads, for the Department of Public Works.

Deputy Reeve Stringer called the meeting to order, and both gentlemen addressed the Council and explained that the amount appropriated in this municipality this year for the Red Deer district was $475, and the manner in which the same should be expended.

AN AMERICAN GIRL IN A TURKISH HAREM

The writer of this amazing narrative, an American girl who has married a Turk, has had a fortunate experience, but, hovering near, is the grim shadow of the old regime—a shadow which she lines with unerring touch. She is a New Hampshire girl and met her Turkish husband in Paris during a short business sojourn with her father in the French Capital. She writes frequently for the columns of the foreign language press of Constantinople under the pen name, "Florence Wilkins."

By Florence Wilkins.

Constantinople.—Not only am I married to a Turk, but I am proud of it. I am white, and I am an American, and I married in defiance of the protests and tears of my friends and relatives, and I have had no cause to regret it. None of the terrible things they prophesied has happened. The past three years have been years of undiluted happiness.

It was true that I felt a bit nervous at first. My husband and I were devoted to each other, but I sacrificed my nationality when I married him and what is worse in my people's eyes—I left for the East. And it was when we approached the East that I felt the first chill of doubt.

This was the home of intrigue, the place where women had been held in suppression for centuries. What would happen to me?

As we sailed into the Straits the domes and minarets were glimmering like a jewelled mosiac in the sunlight. All the magic and glamor of the Arabian Nights entered my heart; it was like tasting a new and precious wine.

But the intoxication lasted only for a moment. Fear took its place; a cold, nameless sense of foreboding.

Assailed by Doubts

I recalled the warnings and advice of my friends whom now, I reflected, I should never see again. The magic of the East, together with the fervid vows and promises of my lover, seemed only an alluring veil, masking a system that was inhuman so far as women were concerned.

I had entered into a union with a man of totally different race, of different habits and traditions. What guarantee was there that with the passing of his first infatuation he might not become an orthodox Moslem, of the old and fanatical school and I worse perhaps than a slave in a Turkish harem?

The thought froze my very blood.

Kismet—for I was already something of a fatalist—might be more strict. I might be divorced according to law by the mere clapping of my husband's hands. I might be sold into slavery to the Kurdish or Arab dealers in the provinces.

My body might find it way, one silent night, into the treacherous waters of the Bosphorus.

Had I not read accounts of these happenings? Had I not just finished Pierre Loti's "Les Desenchantoces."

Emancipated Turkey

These fears were not unnatural, but in spite of them I crossed the threshold into the new life. And now, looking backwards on three years of married life in Turkey, I have nothing to regret.

I have a devoted husband; a beautiful child; a luxurious home.

But is there, you will ask, no ground whatever for the stories circulated about the terrible lives of women in Turkey? Is everything really so enchanting as the Arabian Nights?

Well, not quite. There are two Turkeys, the old and the new. By great good luck I entered the new, with its broad sanity of outlook, its culture, its emancipated women—the new that has sprung up within the past ten years, that is still small, but wherein women are free in exactly the same sense as the Western men have become free.

The Turkish woman lucky enough to be in this category acts almost exactly as her sisters in London, Paris or New York. With the exception of head dress, they dress in the same way.

It is true that some Turkish women wear hats, just as some American women smoke, but that is very rare, and the majority still wear the charshaf, a dark scarf wound attractively about the head, to which a veil is attached.

Not the old thick veil which made all beauty anonymous, but a loose-meshed silk net, no thicker than that prescribed by some Western fashions.

Nowadays a Turkish girl of the new set can choose a career. There are schools of shorthand and typewriting where she can qualify for a secretarial position.

The society women organize games, flag days and receptions. Nor does she live in a harem in the old sense. I live in a new-style harem; that is, I have a cook and a number of maids and some female relatives by marriage in my house.

A harem, in the new sense, simply means the feminine part of the household, and in no way implies polygamy.

In the old Turkey, of course, polygamy is practised. Many women of my acquaintance live under degrading conditions, and their intimate conversation would make a startling indictment of the system if it were published.

"Why don't you run away?" I urged one of these wretched creatures, who had told me a harrowing tale of illtreatment.

"No," she shook her head sadly. "It is my destiny. I must obey my lord for good or evil."

For such women there is little hope, and it is of these that the American reader thinks on seeing the word "harem."

But do not imagine that I was transformed from a vivacious girl into a heavily-veiled prisoner behind the lattice windows of Stamboul!

As an example of the spirit of revolt in Islam, I once saw a stylish and striking-looking girl shopping in the bazaars, and was told, to my surprise, that she was the daughter of the Sultan.

But even in the new Turkey there are contrasts. Women are sternly separated from men in theatres. There is a long partition down through the centre to the stage.

In the harems of the old regime the women sometimes strain pitifully after an education denied to them. I found one Turkish lady reading a German translation of Shakespeare but she had to hide it lest her husband should burn it.

These harems are also hotbeds of intrigue in spite of the vigilant guard. "Affairs" are nearly always in progress in the deep gardens beneath the heavy cypress trees; but, in the background, lurks the eunuch, a survival of barbarous days. He is always waiting, watching and listening, and he has the power to inflict punishments too horrible to be named.

While I, personally, am shielded from the malignant influence of the old Turkey, I feel all the time the shadow of the older evils looming in menace behind me. I must confess that to make life tolerable I shut my eyes to many things, but fortunately, not in my own home, for there true love reigns now as at first, and my own husband is much too enlightened to contemplate anything but monogamy.

CANNED FRUITS AND VEGETABLES ARE NOW STANDARDIZED

Housekeepers run practically no risk of getting a poor quality of canned fruits of vegetables if they will be careful to order by grade. All canned goods put up in the larger factories must conform to legal standards, and these are shown on the label of the can. The system of standardizing canned fruits and vegetables is explained in the May-June number of the Agricultural Gazette by C. S. McGillivray, the Chief Canning Inspector of the Department of Agriculture at Ottawa.

The four legal standards of quality for fruits and vegetables are: "Fancy Quality," "Choice Quality," "Standard Quality" and "Second Quality."

In addition to general standards for vegetables, specific grades have been established for canned peas. These are as follows: Size No. 1, Size No. 2, Size No. 3, and Size No. 4. The size is determined by the opening in the sieve through which the green peas will pass.

Canned fruits are graded for quality and syrup. In grading for syrup, the terms "Heavy Syrup," "Light Syrup," and "Without Sugar" are employed. If the packer so desires, he may substitute the words "Packed in Syrup, ...% Sugar" (stating the percentage of sugar in the syrup).

The terms denoting quality and grade must appear upon the main portion of the label in plain type of a size not less than three-eighths of an inch in height. Thus, in the case of peas, the label must indicate the quality and size of the peas contained in the can, thus "Fancy Quality, Size No. 1." In the case of fruit, it must indicate the quality of the article as well as the consistency of the syrup so far as sugar content is concerned, thus "Fancy Quality—Heavy Syrup."

The declaration of net weight on certain sizes of containers is not required, as these sizes have been standardized. These sizes are known as Sizes 1's, 2's, 2½s, 3's and 10's. The minimum net weight of both liquids and solids as packed is defined for each of these sizes. Sizes not standardized must show on the label the net weight and the drained weight.

HAYNES

Don Greene's sale on the 19th turned out fairly well with a very good crowd and fair bidding. Mrs. Greene and children have gone to her home at Oyen, and Don has been promised a good job in the south. We are sorry to lose them from the neighborhood.

Mr. and Mrs. Davidson and daughter Helen have returned to their farm after 2½ years in the north of England. Sunny Alberta looks good to them once more, and their old friends are glad to see them back.

Mrs. Dean, of Clive, has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Sherburne for a few days.

Mrs. Nelson is visiting her father, J. B. Cundiff, for a short while.

Allen Irish, C.P.R. operator at Dunmore, has been holidaying at home for a few days.

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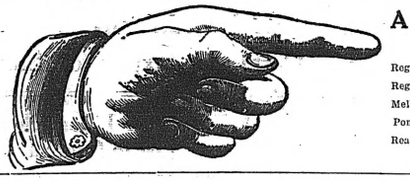

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VAST TRACTS OF NORTHLAND MAY BECOME HERITAGE OF WHICH CANADA WILL BE PROUD

Some new sidelights on the possibility of Arctic stock raising and grain culture are supplied by Harry A. Warner, engineer of this city, who has just returned fro the Arctic coast, says the Edmonton Bulletin. Mr. Warner is a strong believer in the theory that the Arctic will in years to come prove habitable forthe white agriculturist, and he draws parallels with settlements here in Alberta which some years since were considered to be fit for nothing but raising muskrats; where in the muskeg ice can be found at a depth of a few feet below the moss all summer, and where, though this condition exists at the present day, but half a mile distant farmers are raising crops of all kinds—and good ones.

Many theories have been advanced regarding cattle raising and agriculture in the Arctic, and it is significant to note that the Hudson's Bay Company, their vast and ancient knowledge of the country were apparently satisfied that this was feasible, and actually did "run" forty head of oxen within the circle.

This episode dates back to the years prior to the advent of the C.P.R., when arrangements were made by the Gentlemen Adventurers to ship in all their trade goods via Alaska. Plans were perfected for operating steamers from the sea, commencing at St. Michael's in Alaska, up the Yukon River to the limit of navigation. Then York boats on the Porcupine and the Peel River to the height of land, where a wagon road would take the trade goods over to the Mackenzie side, where they would again be placed on steamers and taken to all the company's posts as far south as Lake Athabasca, and perhaps further.

The H.B.C. shipped in forty head of oxen via the Athabasca and the Mackenzie, and these were delivered safely o nthe proposed portage road eastward of Fort McPherson. It was planned by the company to construct a road of between thirty and thirty-five miles; this was cut out, bridge timbers were hewn, meadows burned off and fenced, and other preparations made for extensive freight shipping operations on the Rat River portage. Then came word that the C.P.R. had commenced building the steel westward, and the Arctic route which might have changed the whole outlook of Western Canada was abandoned. The oxen were driven over the mountains to Fort Yukon and slaughtered for beef, and the entire episode was forgotten, except in the memoriels of some of the real northern old-timers.

What is significant is that the H.B.C. recognized that cattle could themselves obtain a living in the Arctic, and that they were prepared to hinge their entire transportation system on this theory.

Further concrete examples of what is possible are furnished by other travellers. In 1908 a prospecting party took north with them two horses for packing purposes, and ranged and fed these animals at a point fifteen miles north of the pesent settlement of Aklavik, and within a short distance of the Arctic coast. The horses were used in the Arctic for a year, but finally they wandered away and were lost or destroyed by the wolves.

Fifty per cent of the area of the Mackenzie delta is grass covered, says Mr. Warner, and following the examples of others, large bands of both horses and cattle could be fed here with no more difficulty than would be experienced in Northern Alberta.

"Again, to get away from theories and illustrate actualities, it is noteworthy that the Northern Trading Company's fur post manager at Aklavik (well within the Arctic circle), has grown cabbage and lettuce, while a few grains of wheat which were planted, headed out but did not ripen. Root crops cannot be grown, due to the fact that the ice is so close to the surface, but the northman is of the opinion that plants which produce their crop above the surface can speedily be brought to bear. Though these may not become immediately successful, they undoubtedly would in time as drainage and clearing opened up the land as it did in the prairie north-west, and Mr. Warner thinks that as the ground warms barley and oats will be cultivated successfully south of an isotherm passing through Fort McPherson.

The frost of a previous geological age is passing slowly; the present age is a warmer one, and if the top moss and other overburden is stripped from the ground the perpetual frost will recede, says Mr. Warner, and the non-cultivatible area will gradually diminish. As a case in point, the engineer mentions the home of husbandry—Scotland—where some centuries since the people had to depend mainly on oat food because no other grain would withstand the rigors of the climate. Nowadays Scotland will grow any of the temperate zone vegetables and grain, and what is true of Scotia, will have a parallel in the soils of the far north.

From the stock raising and grain growing standpoint the far north has a distinct potential value, says Mr. Warner, though, of course, it will be many years before it is largely utilized. There are areas though, within the three line limit, which can be made to produce sufficient growth to sustain a settled population, and in general the northern traveller ridicules the idea that the far north is a howling wilderness, which never will do more than provide feeding grounds for semi-domesticated herds of the reindeer family.

Throughout the winter Mr. Warner lived in a tent in his Arctic home and felt no hardships thereby, Aklovik is no cooler than Edmonton, he says, though on the coast proper the winds blowing off the open leads in the ice make for more arduous conditions. The mysterious and dreaded Barren Lands, he compares to the prairies fifty years ago, while he avers that the wilderness is a very different thing to the desert, and that the first-named can be made normal by the use of commonsense methods of life and travel.

Just as surely as the prairies were subdued and brought to serve men's needs, so will the far north, says the engineer, and it is by no means impossible but that the North-West Territories will later be regarded as a heritage of which Canadians will be justly proud.

CANADIAN GRAIN RATES LESS THAN U.S.

Montreal, June 29.—Canadian grain rates are cheaper than those on American roads, according to Canadian railway officials.

The rates on grain shipped direct as well as milled in transit from Canadian shipping points to Fort William are very much lower than from American shipping points (similar distances) to Duluth. In fact present rates in Canada are lower than the proposed reduced rates in the United States will be, as the following will show:

Kansas City to Duluth, 680 miles, St. Joseph to Duluth, 616 miles, (proposed rate) 19 cents per 100 pounds.

Saltcoats, Sask., to Fort William, 681 miles, Broadview, Sask. to Fort William, 684 miles, (proposed rate) 18 cents per 100 pounds.

Elkhorn, Man., to Fort William, 617 miles; Naples, Man., to Fort William, 618 miles, 18 cents per 100 pounds.

"The farmers of western Canada have a great advantage in respect to freight rates over the farmer in contiguous territory in the United States," commented E. N. Todd, freight traffic manager of the Canadian Pacific railway, yesterday, when the matter was brought to his notice.

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THE ONTARIO ELECTION

By a crushing majority the Farmers' Government and Party have been beaten in the Ontario election and the Conservatives returned to power. The result is not surprising in view of the tendency towards Conservatism which exists in Ontario, much as a tendency towards Liberalism exists in the prairie provinces of the West. It is an interesting result because Ontario was the first Canadian province to return a farmers' government to power. The Farmers' Party has been quite unable to retain its hold on the country, and its heavy defeat will lead naturally to the asking of the question whether the whole farmers' movement is going to collapse after a temporary sweeping success. Its defeat in Ontario need not by any means imply its coming defeat in the West, for Ontario is the most urban and manufacturing of all our provinces. Nevertheless, the defeat has a distinct significance for the farmers' movement as a whole. It is an indication of the old weakness of the farmers reasserting itself—inability to co-operate for any long time. Possibly it may be considered as an indication that any class in the community which aims at obtaining power for itself and at the same time refuses to admit the general mass of the community into the ranks, tends to raise up against itself very determined opposition. The late government in Ontario did not seem to be favouring its own class exclusively in the matters of legislation. In fact, it incurred the censure of some of its own supporters for not doing so, much as the Alberta government has done. Its failure, however, to effect any definite improvement in agricultural conditions, coupled with a somewhat negative, not to say helpless, attitude towards other matters, seems to have lost it the support of the farmers without gaining it the support of other classes.

It would be a pity to see an interesting movement like that of the farmers extinguished so quickly through narrow-minded and faulty leadership. If the Farmers' Party would broaden its basis and enlarge its outlook, it would remain a really useful force in our political life, for it professes to represent the most important class in the whole community, one which has suffered a good deal in the past through lack of organization to protect its interests.

In so far as prohibition was an issue in election, the vote seems to show hostility to it, much as in Manitoba, though it is not possible in the case of Ontario to say definitely that this was so, because of the other issues concerned. Possibly a fair estimate of the result would be to say that it is a verdict against political extremism and experiments generally. It is a matter for regret that somewhat scurrilous personalities played a prominent part in the election. That sort of thing lowers the tone of our public life, and in no way helps the electors to form a quiet and reasoned judgment on the matters at stake in the election. The less that is heard of them, the better it will be for all concerned.

AMERICA'S INDEPENDENCE DAY

Today the United States of America celebrates the anniversary of the declaration of independence. There was a time not so long ago when every good American felt that the day should be used for heaping calculated insults on Great Britain and all her Empire, and for asserting in the most aggressive possible way the immense superiority of Americans to all other peoples under the sun. To a large extent this feeling has gone. No doubt it still exists among professional anti-British, the Germans and Irish of the States, and such of the more ignorant multitude as they can induce to follow their lead, but the better type of American celebrates his independence day, certainly in a spirit of thankfulness and satisfaction, but not with any special feeling of hostility to Great Britain. Time has to some extent wiped out the old grudge. The war worked in the late war did a great deal in the same direction. In all our British and Americans were fighting together in the same great cause, found that they had much in common, more than they had with other nations, and the general result has been a distinct drawing together of the two great English-speaking nations of the world. There are still plenty causes of friction and jealousy between them. The masses of both people tend to look with a certain amount of suspicion on one another, but the leaders and the educated classes on both sides are realizing more and more the value of friendship and co-operation.

It is an interesting subject for speculation what would have been the course of development in the States if they had not broken away from Great Britain as they did. Had the whole of North America, from the Arctic to the Mexican border, been included in the British Empire, how vast would have been the power of that Empire. Would the population of what is now the States have been the same in composition and character as it now is? Would it, for instance, have had as many Irish to give to its politics their peculiarly turbulent and irresponsible character? How would the question of negro slavery have been settled if the States had remained part of the Empire? There are endless questions of this kind one might ask, but they are quite unanswerable.

It is possibly rather a good thing for the British Empire that the United States did break away. For one thing it gave the British race a thorough lesson in how not to deal with colonies. Further, it has saved the Empire the trouble of solving some very awkward questions racial and political. The Overflow from Europe to North America would probably have taken place in any event. It is possible to argue that Canada and the Empire have got the cream of that overflow, and the United States the skimmed milk, with results wholly beneficial to the former. The assimilation of masses of Italians, Greeks and other southern European races into the Empire would have been no easy matter. The United States with no external ties to speak of can possibly fashion these masses into some sort of nationality in its melting pot with less trouble. At least the trouble is not ours.

It is interesting also to watch the growth of self-analysis and self-criticism in the States. The days of unqualified self-satisfaction, characteristics of youthful peoples as of youthful individuals, are passing away. Americans themselves are asking if all is well with their country. A book recently published, the work of a dozen or so different authors, on American civilization, took a distinctly gloomy view of that civilization, holding that the symptoms which had previously been put down to youthful immaturity might more correctly be attributed to incipient decadence of a civilization not really new but old. It is to be hoped that this estimate is a mistaken one. It would help neither Canada nor the world at large to have in the United States a society whose trend was downwards rather than up. We have sufficient confidence in our own country and our own people to believe that we have nothing to fear from the growth and prosperity of the United States. We can take our way and heartily wish them well on theirs.

SUNDAY OBSERVANCE

Sunday observance has passed through many phases since the dawn of the Christian era. There have been alternations of strictness and laxity, gloom and brightness, varying with the manners of the times. The attitude of the church towards it has varied. There was a time in Great Britain when the church rather tended to encourage Sunday games conducted under its auspices, just as the theatre was originally an offshoot or side-show of the church. There have been times when Sunday amusements and indeed all amusements have been rigorously banned by the church in a spirit of extreme asceticism or puritanism. At the present time we are emerging from the negative strictness of the last generation or two and adopting a policy of increasing laxity or secularity toward Sunday observance. The change like all changes in general customs has been the subject of bitter controversy. Charge and counter-charge have been handled to and fro, "Godless pleasure-seeking" on one side, "gloomy ecclesiasticism and narrow-minded cant" on the other.

The Sunday and its observance form one of the direct legacies of Jewish civilisation to the modern Christian world. That exceedingly astute national leader, Moses, who instituted it, realised that the human machine like any other machine, needs or at least is much the better for a periodical rest. The seventh day of each week seemed a convenient rest period, and the traditional story of the making of the world in six days and the seventh day of rest was used to give an authoritative basis for his choice, and seems to have been accepted without question by the Jewish nation. Neither Greece nor Rome had an equivalent periodic rest day. They had their holidays, feasts in honour of different gods and heroes, which served much the same purpose. In the case of Rome these holidays developed a tendency to increase greatly till at the time of the fall of the old Roman republic someone bitterly complained that there were as many holidays as work days in the Roman year. One can imagine the joy with which the modern schoolboy or girl would revert to this ancient custom of a dead past. The Christian church, taking its origin from the Jewish nation, kept the periodic rest day, but changed it from the seventh day of the week or Saturday to the first day, Sunday, in commemoration of the Resurrection Day, and it has remained so ever since.

There is no essential moral law involved in a time-table like observance of Sunday, nor is there any scriptural authority either in the Old or the New Testament for a Sunday devoted entirely to religious exercises. The arguments used in this respect are usually marked by little knowledge and less sense. Yet like all the other commandments embodied in the Ten Commandments of the Mosaic law this one of Sunday observance sets forth a fundamental rule of human nature—that from time to time men and women do well to pause and rest from their ordinary occupations. What form that rest may take may reasonably vary with individuals. The Sunday of the extreme ecclesiastic, taken up with tollsome and sometimes emotional religious exercises or a strictly limited type, is not a day of rest, nor yet of worship, which is a matter of the spirit and does not belong to any special building any more than it did of old to "this mountain or Jerusalem." Equally, the Sunday of the ultra-modern pleasure-seeker, consisting of noisy parties, tennis, golf or baseball matches, loud laughter and senseless badinage, is far from being a day of rest. It is far less so, in fact, than the ecclesiastic's, for at least one can lose oneself in quiet thought during excessively long services, even if one does not go to sleep.

Surely the essential of rest is comparative inactivity of body and mind, an overhauling of the human machinery, some quiet consideration given to the general well-being of mind, body and spirit, and to our standing in all that essentially concerns us. Emphatically is is not and has not been a good thing that Sunday should be regarded as a specially "religious" day. From that doctrine has come the dual standard of conduct which has given such opportunities to the scoffers at all religion, who have pointed with scorn to the numerous instances of the men and women who put off and on their religious principles with their Sunday clothes, and whose worship is a matter of occasional odds and outward ceremonies and not of an enduring attitude of mind and conduct.

It is to be feared that the present attitude towards Sunday is not one of rest, but merely one of amusement, which is quite a different thing. It will not be to our advantage if in reaction from the inanities of formal ecclesiasticism we turn our Sunday of rest into a day of pleasure-seeking without rest. We shall do better if we keep our Sunday a day of quiet on which we may have leisure to pause and so pausing to gather strength and refreshment both of body and of mind.

A CHAMPION OF THE NORTH

Among books lately published is one by Vilhjalmur Stefansson, the Arctic explorer, entitled "The Northward Course of Empire." In this book the theory is advanced that civilisation is trending northwards; that whereas at one time the centre of the world's civilisation was the Mediterranean Sea, in the future the Arctic Ocean is likely to be just as familiar to men as the Mediterranean. The chief reason that he gives for this belief is the all-important one of food supply. It is an old story that economic reasons are responsible for many, if not most, of the great migrations in the world's history. Markets are often the inspiration of the conqueror rather than glory. This theory is of great interest and importance for us Canadians. If it is correct our north country and that of Siberia are likely to increase enormously in population and production in the future. Of the two countries Canada is likely to have much the better start for political reasons, since no one can say how long Russia will take to recover from her present paralysis. Mr. Stefansson bases his theory to some extent on the enormous areas of grass land available in the North. He is not thinking of the rearing of our ordinary cattle, but of reindeer and ovibos, which is presumably another name for the musk-ox animals which can stand the long severe winter without artificial care and protection by man. He quotes one interesting fact as to Alaska. In 1903 there were approximately 6000 reindeer there and the editor of the National Geographical Magazine prophesied at that time that in 15 years these 6000 would have multiplied to 100000, and that their meat would be sold to the American markets. His prophecy was ridiculed at the time, but when the 15 years were past the number of reindeer in Alaska was approximately 120000, and their meat was and is on the American market. Mr. Stefansson speaks also of the unestimated mineral wealth of the north and reminds his readers of the utterly false estimates of the possibilities of settlement in the prairie provinces which were made not long ago. That experienced and widely-travelled writer, Sir William Butler, in his book "The Wild North Land," written in 1874, suggested that the winter of Saskatchewan was such as to make settlement there utterly impossible. Mr. Stefansson points out that the Arctic winters are no colder than those of Manitoba or Dakota, though longer and darker, and that even the Eskimo with his exceedingly limited resources in the direction of fuel, lighting and house-building, uses the winter as a time of holiday and enjoyment. Excessive cold is not so difficult to guard against as excessive heat and is considerably more healthy. In fact, it seems that it is not the winter that is the chief drawback in the far North, but the clouds of flies and mosquitoes in the summer. Possibly, however, modern science can deal with these pests in the North as it has dealt with them elsewhere in the world.

It is a most interesting book, and its theories seem entirely sane and sound. If so, it does not need a very remarkable imagination to picture how great a country the Canada of the future may be. The race which lives here must be a hardy, vigorous race. No other can live here in any considerable numbers. With such a race and such a country for it to develop, Canada may yet leave the United States behind in respect of population and wealth. The prospect makes one wish to be allowed even a slight share of Methuselah's longevity in order to see how far this prospect will be realised.

EDITORIAL NOTES

The Farmers' Sun explains the knockout handed them by saying that the "wets" all voted Conservative. The Advocate explains the result of the Manitoba vote by saying that the electors had grown tired of prohibitory liquor laws. We would say that both results show nothing much except a simple reasoning on the part of the electors. They said to themselves, "Here's a government that can't govern—let's kick it out; and here are prohibitory laws that do not prohibit—let's kick them out."

Workmen on strike in the Sydney steel plant of the British Empire Steel Corporation stoned a magistrate who was reading the riot act and fought with the police guarding the plant. Troops are being forwarded to the trouble area. If the labor unions are responsible for the tactics that are almost invariably used by strikers, they are a menace to the country. If they are not responsible, it must be that they are unable to control the members of the union.

The mob should, under the circumstances, be treated exactly the same as any other body of men who break the law.

It is reported from London that The Herald, the daily newspaper of the Labor party, will probably be discontinued shortly, having lately incurred a weekly loss of over two thousand pounds, and will become a Sunday paper. The final decision on the matter will most likely be arrived at when the Labor party meets this week. Labor is fully convinced that it will succeed at the next election and desires to conserve its funds in order to fight every constituency

PROVINCIAL ITEMS

Rev. Father Stacey, of Hanna, charged with indecent assault on a Polish girl, was acquitted before Judge Winter, of Calgary, where the case was heard. The defence had applied successfully for a change of venue from Hanna.

Fred Colvin, of near Loyalist, was hanged on June 23rd at Fort Saskatchewan following his conviction on a charge of murdering a neighbor named Koslanko on October 18, 1922.

The floods at Nordegg caused the power house dam to give way, and fear was common for the dam at the town water supply.

The new $40,000 court house at Blairmore is nearly completed.

The tax rate in Blairmore has been set at 22 mills. The town assessment is $910,985.00 and the estimated expenditure for the year is $15,720.00.

With Dominion Day sports Drumheller has opened a big new athletic park.

The new wing of the hospital at Ponoka was formally opened yesterday and a very successful dance put on to celebrate the opening.

The Innisfail Community Club called a road day recently, and the citizens gravelled a half mile of road near the town.

WHAT SHALL IT BE?

It is not said that the character will develop in all its fulness in this life. That were a time too short for an evoution so magnificent. In this world only the cornless ear is seen sometimes only the small yet still prophetic blade. The sneer at the godly man for his imperfections is ill-judged. A blade is a small thing. At first it grows very near the earth. It is often soiled and crushed and down-trodden. But it is a living thing. The great dead stone beside it is more imposing; only it will never be anything else than a stone. But this small blade—it doth not yet appear what it shall be.—Drummond.

"Father," asked little Harold earnestly, "is it true that the sun never rises in the west?"

"Yes, child."

"Well, then, I'm sorry for the Jones family. They are going to move out west. I wouldn't want to go where it's always dark."

"NELSON HAS COME AGAIN."

The hero of the British Navy is Lord Nelson of Trafalgar. It is he that stands on the crest of the great column that, as it were, overlooks London from Trafalgar Square. In the little room of effigies in Westminster Abbey, he is with Queens Elizabeth and Anne and the Kings. And here is our story:

Winston Spencer Churchill, who, as Lord of the Admiralty household, the Fleet, before and during the great war, tells how Beatty was made admiral. Churchill had never seen Beatty and had been prejudiced against him. But on looking him over Churchill made the young sea dog his naval secretary and so came into daily contact with him, and when the moment came that the command of the Battle-Cruiser Squadron fell vacant in the spring of 1913, Lord Churchill took Beatty and advanced him over the heads of all Beatty's superiors and gave the trust to him. "And," says Lord Churchill, "when two years later (February 3, 1915) I visited him on board the Lion, with the scars of victorious battle fresh upon her from the action of the Dogger Bank, I heard from his Captains and his Admirals the expression of their respectful but intense enthusiasm for their leader."

And now comes the pith of the story. Churchill continues. "Well do I remember how, as I was leaving the ship, the usually imperturbable Admiral Pakenham caught me by the sleeve, 'First Lord, I wish to speak to you in private,' and the restrained passion in his voice as he said: 'Nelson has come again.'"

"Nelson has come again." The older man, himself a sea dog of the first rank, had the genuineness, the character to pay to the young man a compliment the highest conceivable to an Englishman: "Nelson," said he, 'has come again.'"

It takes character to pay tribute to others, to a younger man, to one who but yesterday was your subordinate. We see it in John the Baptist, we see it in the teacher of Raphael, we see it in Bishop Ninde, we see it here and there, and, come now, is it not refreshing? One that can truly do that already wears the garter of an Earl in the heavenly aristocracy; for what is there that is nobler?

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Women's or Growing Girls' Fine White Canvas Pumps; rubber heels and soles. Sizes 2½ to 7. Sale price $1.29

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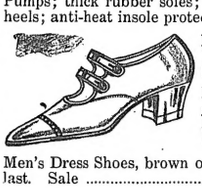

Ladies' Patent Pumps or Kid, black or brown. Sale $2.48

Ladies' smart, high-grade Pumps in patent kid or fine calf, made in smart style. Sale, $3.98

Men's Dress Shoes, brown or black, made on smart last. Sale $3.98

Men's Work Shoes, good cowhide uppers; sewed or crewed soles; solid leather. Sale $3.39

Boys' Black Fine Calf Shoes; 1-5. Sale $2.48

Read our Sale Circular for prices on everything.

Child's Pumps, patent leather; 2-4½. Sale, $1.19

Child's Pumps, brown kid, 5-7½. Sale $1.69

Child's Patent Leather Pumps, cushion soles; 8-10½. Sale $1.88

Men's Cooper Caps, stylishly made up. Sale, $1.00

Men's Fine Dress Shirts, size 16 only, detachable collars. Regular $2.75. Sale $1.39

Men's Brown Tweed Raincoats, all-climate proof. Sale $8.69

Ladies' Smart Suits, navy serge and tricotine. Sale from $18.75

Men's Suits of high grade quality and tailoring from $12.95

Bring your orders to the catalogue houses. We can fill them

REAL ECONOMY IN EVERY DEPARTMENT

"It Pays to Pay Cash"

The W. E. LORD CO. LT'D. RED DEER, ALBERTA.

In accord with our undertaking when we declined to close our store on Wednesday afternoons in May and June,

Store will be closed all day Wednesday, July 11th and 18th, but it will not be closed on Wednesday, 25th, Exhibition week.

Men's and Boys' Dept. Offers Real Savings

BOYS' WASH BLOOMERS

Here is a great chance to pick up a pair of wash bloomers for little fellows from 3 to 6 years; good washing materials, and well made. While they last, per pair ..... **25¢**

CLEARING OF MEN'S TWEED CAPS

About 2 dozen men's Tweed caps in neat patterns; well made, "Eastern Brand." Values to $2.50. Clearing at **$1.25**

BOYS' JAZZ CAPS FOR THE HOLIDAYS

The boys will enjoy the holidays better if dressed in one of these little Jazz Caps. A good combination of colors. Priced at ..... **35¢ and 40¢**

BATHING SUITS FOR MEN AND BOYS

The bathing season is now here, and bathing suits are in demand. Buy one now and be ready. Men's and boys' one-piece suits with skirt. Plain and fancy trim.
Boys' Cotton Suits at ..... **90c each**
Men's Extra Heavy Cotton Suits at ..... **$1.75 each**
Men's Wool uits at .... **$3.35 and $4.50**

A REAL BARGAIN IN MEN'S WORK SHIRTS

These are a real bargain, and should be picked up quickly. Plain blue and khaki; well made, and good full size. Bought specially to sell at $1.25. All sizes 14½ to 18. July Clearing Sale **95c**

MEN'S WHITE MESH COMBINATIONS

Real summer weight. Short sleeve and knee length. White only. A dandy garment for warm weather. All sizes. Regular $1.75 suit. July Clearing Price ..... **$1.45 Suit**

PLAY SUITS FOR THE KIDDIES

Now is the time for play suits. Saves much work for mothers. You get a good choice here. Sizes 3 to 8 years. Priced at ..... **$1.00, $1.50 and $1.65**

MEN'S GABERDINE TOP COATS

The ideal summer top coat for dress wear; cravenette finish; belted style; nicely made and well tailored. The best light weight top coat on the market. Regular value $27.50. July Clearing Price **$21.90**

A REAL BARGAIN IN MEN'S TWEED RAINCOATS

9 only tweed raincoats in neat patterns; good weight cloth and fully rubberized. A dandy coat for spring or fall wear as well as a raincoat. If you are in need of a top coat, see these. Regular to $15.00. July Clearing Price **$7.95**

Bargain Values in the Shoe Section

PATENT STRAP PUMPS FOR WOMEN AND GROWING GIRLS, $3.95 PAIR

Very smart pump; soft patent leather; light flexible soles; low heels with rubber top lift. Sizes 2½ to 6.

PLAIN PATENT LEATHER PUMPS FOR WOMEN, $2.75 PAIR

Smart pump, made on semi-English last; flexible soles; military heels. Sizes 2½ to 6½.

WOMEN'S WHITE CANVAS BOOTS AND PUMPS, 98c PAIR

Sizes 2½, 3, 5 and 7 only; regularly priced $3.25 and $3.75.

WOMEN'S AND GROWING GIRLS' BLACK KID OXFORDS, $3.49 PAIR

WOMEN'S BROWN KID PUMPS, $3.95 PAIR

Nice quality, dark brown kid, one-strap pump; neat recede last; military heel. All sizes.

MISSES' BLACK KID 2-STRAP PUMPS, $2.95 PAIR

Very neat and serviceable; soft black kid with two straps; medium low heel, with rubber lift. Sizes 11 to 2.

WOMEN'S WHITE CANVAS PUMPS $1.75 PAIR

Neat pump of white canvas with rubber soles and rubber heels; ornament on vamp. Sizes 2½ to 7.

GIRLS' WHITE CANVAS PUMPS Regular $1.85, at $1.35

Very neat and serviceable for the Lake. Rubber soles and low rubber heels; neat oranment on vamp. Sizes 11 to 2.

Bargains in Ladies Wear

WOMEN'S PINK COTTON BLOOMERS, 85c Each

Made of good quality pink cotton; shirred elastic waist and knee.

WHITE VOILE BLOUSES, $2.25 and $2.50 Values, at $1.59 Each

Very smartly styled and nicely finished with embroidery and lace. Mostly all sizes.

WOMEN'S LONG SILK GLOVES, $1.49

"Kayser" quality; pure silk; colors, black, brown, tan. Sizes 6½, 7, 7½.

WHITE LISLE GLOVES, 49c

Imported gloves of splendid quality; two dome style. Colors white, grey, sand. Mostly all sizes.

WOMEN'S WHITE COTTON HOSE, 25c PAIR

They are in sizes 9½ and 10 only, which accounts for the very low price.

WOMEN'S WHITE LISLE HOSE, Regular 75c, for 49c Pair

Good value at the regular price, but broken sizes make it necessary to clear them at this low price. Sizes 9½ and 10 only.

WHITE FIBRE SILK HOSE at 69c PAIR

Sizes 9½ and 1 0only. They are in the "Butterfly" brand. Soft lustrous finish; have spliced feet, heels and toes.

"PENMAN'S" FANCY RIBB PURE SILK HOSE at $1.19 PAIR

Colors, lark, chestnut brown, black. All sizes.

WOMEN'S GREEN HEATHER HOSE at 59c Pair

Knitted of fine quality cotton yarns. A nice weight for summer wear. Sizes 9, 9½, 10.

CHILDREN'S KNITTED COMBINATIONS at 49c SUIT

Here's a splendid opportunity. Knitted of soft cotton yarns; have short sleeves; loose or tight knee. All sizes.

WOMEN'S WHITE UNDERSKIRTS, Regular $2.75, at $1.79

Good quality long cloth with deep flounce of embroidery and tucking.

GIRLS' WHITE UNDERSKIRTS, Regular $1.75, at 98c

Ages 6 to 14 years.

GIRLS' WHITE SLIPS at 39c

Made from good quality white muslin. Sizes for girls 2 and 3 years only.

Holeproof Hosiery

Light on the Purse

Hosiery plays a far more conspicuous part in your looks than many a larger and more costly item of dress.

Holeproof Hosiery is made with this idea in mind. Wonderfully fine and soft in texture, shimmering and closely woven, yet months of wear in every pair without mending. Buy Holeproof Hose and you need buy but seldom—that's why their cost per year is low.

Our stock of Holeproof is very complete in pure silk and silk and wool; plain and ribbed tops.
Priced ..... **$1.65, $1.85 and $2.25 Pair**

Horrockses Longcloth

"HORROCKSES" 36 in. WHITE LONGCLOTH

Regular 50¢ at **38¢**

Splendid quality, strong even weave, pure bleached and free from dressing.

"HORROCKSES" 42 in. MADOPOLLAM

Regular 75¢ at **49¢**

Very fine quality, suitable for all kinds of fine undergarments.

"HORROCKSES" 42 in. DIAPHALENE

Regular 95¢ at **69¢**

This material is most suitable for making very dainty underwear; fast colors, launders perfectly.

Prices Cut Small on Women's Suits

Our stock is small. Only a few of these smart summer garments are remaining, but our policy makes it imperative that they be sold just when you want them.

Navy Serge, smart tailored style, braid and button trim and belt; size 20.
Regular $28.50 for **$16.95**

Navy Serge, roll collar, vents on sides of coat, braid and buttons and belt trim; size 38.
Regular $25.00 for **$19.95**

Navy Serge, tailored, plain straight lines; size 16.
Regular $45.00 for **$23.95**

Navy Tricotine, plain tailored style; size 38.
Regular $38.50 for **$23.95**

Navy Sport Suit, box back, braid trim; size 18.
Regular $28.00 for **$19.95**

Navy Poiret Twill, box back, braid style, square collar.
Regular $28.50 for **$19.95**

Navy, very fine Poiret Twill, box coat, fancy braid trim with belt.
Regular $48.50 for **$38.95**

Navy Flannel Tuxedo Coat, sport suit with navy and fawn check skirt, coat trimmed to match.
Regular $32.50 for **$19.95**

Helio Homespun Sport Suit, plain cloth coat and check skirt, fringed skirt, henna embroidery on sleeves and pocket.
Regular $35.00 for **$19.95**

Clearing Coats at Cut Prices

Women's and Misses' Coats are being sold at ridiculously low prices, just when you want them for motoring in the evenings and protection in unexpected showers.

Blue Grey Tweed Sport Coats, wide smart collar, stitched, set in sleeve with cuffs and buttons, belted; size 20.
Regular $17.95 for **$9.95**

Blue Polo Sport Coats, inverted box pleat and fancy stitched back; size 20.
Regular $19.50 for **$12.95**

Fawn Polo, box pleated back, patch pockets, belt; size 16.
Regular $17.95 for **$12.95**

Blue Grey Hopsack Tweed, shawl collar, stitched sleeves and back with side pleats; size 20.
Regular $22.50 for **$12.95**

Blue Grey Hopsack Tweed, large collar, wide sleeves and patch pockets and belt; size 18.
Regular $19.95 for **$12.95**

Green Mixed Tweed, tuxedo style, Raglan sleeves, stitched and belt, body lined; size 38.
Regular $22.50 for **$12.95**

Grey Mixed Fine Herringbone Tweed, ¾ length, inverted box pleated back, Raglan sleeves, body lined; size 20.
Regular $23.50 for **$15.95**

Brown Heather Tweed, stitched and self button trim, patch novelty pockets and belt, ¾ length, half lined; size 36.
Regular $25.00 for **$17.95**

Fawn Mixed Tweed, tailored style, Raglan sleeves with small cuff, inset pockets, and belt; size 40.
Regular $32.50 for **$22.95**

Fawn and Brown Brushed Tweed, pleated smart back, pockets and belt; size 38.
Regular $28.50 for **$19.95**

Brown Brushed Fine Tweed, self button trim, wide sleeves, big patch pockets, belt, full lined; size 20.
Regular $35.00 for **$24.95**

Dark Fawn Brushed Tweed, stitched, wide sleeves, large collar, belt; size 42.
Regular $35.00 for **$24.95**

Black Tricotine, shawl collar, black silk braid trimmed, wide sleeves, large fancy button belt; size 40.
Regular $35.00 for **$26.95**

Table Damasks

56 in. BLEACHED TABLE DAMASK at 89¢ Yard

Splendid finish and nice weight, and at the very low price—you should have two or three cloths.

72 in. BLEACHED TABLE DAMASK at $1.19

Here's another unusual value; very fine quality and finish, neat rose and satin stripe design.

Crash Towelling

ALL LINEN CRASH TOWELLING

Regular 40¢ at **29¢**

A splendid weight, has neat red stripe border.

Dress Goods & Staples at Real Savings

32 in. PRINTS, 25¢ yd.

Light and dark colors, nice range of patterns.

"HORROCKSES' " WHITE COTTON 38¢ yard

REMNANTS

A big table full of real useful lengths, including Flannelettes, Cotton, Prints, Ginghams, Silk, Dress Goods, etc., all greatly reduced.

ALL LINEN CRASH TOWELLING 40¢ at 29¢

42 in. WHITE MADAPOLLAM

Regular 75¢ for **49¢**

Lovely fine quality, suitable for finest undergarments, etc.

PINK BEACH CLOTH

Regular 85¢ for **69¢ yd.**

Unusual quality; mercerized finish, in lovely rose pink shade.

COLORED DRESS VOILES, 32¢ yard

Lovely patterns and colorings to choose from.

COTTON CASHMERE at 29¢ yard

Plain Navy and Brown.

BLEACHED DAMASK TABLING

Regular $1.35 for **89¢ yard**

72 in. BLEACHED DAMASK TABLING

Regular $2.25 for **$1.19**

9 in EMBROIDERY FOR LINGERIE Special 32¢

BARONETTE SATIN

Regular $3.50 for **$2.49 yard**

Lovely quality and weight suitable for sport skirts; colors Robin-egg Blue and Tan.

PURE SILK "JAPSHAN"

Regular $1.75 at **$1.35**

A material that wears and launders unusually well ;suitable for skirts, blouses, etc.

EMBROIDERED DRESS ORGANDIES

Regular to $2.75 at **98¢ yard**

"HORROCKSES' " DIAPHALENE

Regular 95¢ to **69¢**

Lovely soft material.

Values From The Hardware Section

TOOL GRINDERS

A very practical and durable tool grinder; nicely balanced and very high speed; can be clamped to any bench.

4 inch wheel. Price **$3.50**
5 inch wheel. Price **$4.75**
6 inch wheel. Price **$5.50**

SCREEN DOORS

Kiln dried pine, hardwood dowels, glued joints finished in oak stain and varnished.

2 ft. 6 in. x 6 ft. 6 in. Price **$3.00**
2 ft. 8 in. x 6 ft. 8 in. Price **$3.00**
Same as above with braced corners—
2 ft. 8 in. x 6 ft. 8 in. **$3.75**
2 ft. 10 in. x 6 ft. 10 in. **$3.75**

SCREEN WINDOWS

Extend from 22 inches to 36 inches; 14 inches high. Price **65c**
8 Jar Canning Racks, oval shape; will fit any boiler. Price **$1.25**
Individual Racks. Price, $1.80 dozen
Bird Cages, finished in white and gold. Priced at **$2.50, $2.95, $3.25 and $3.50**

Motorists!

Here's a Real Bargain

"FOX'S" PATENT AUTO TIRE CHAINS. **Regular $8.75, at $4.95**

They are the best chain on the market. Patented cross chains insure greater traction in soft ground or mud. Get a pair now. You'll need them.

"LA DIVA" CORSETS

Regular $5.00, $5.50, $6.00 and $7.00
Clearing at $2.95 Pair

They are in broken lines that must be cleared before inventory, so don't miss this unusual opportunity. The sizes are 20, 22, 23, 24, 25 only.

"GOSSARD" BRASSIERES, 59c Each

Another splendid opportunity to save. Made of pink mesh cloth; back and front fasteners. Sizes 40, 42, 44 only.

PROMOTION RESULTS

Of Red Deer Public Schools for 1923

CENTRAL SCHOOL

Grade VII to Grade VIII

Barbara Burnett
Doris White
Doris Stephenson
Milton Hayhoe
Charlie Humber
Hugh Clarke
Georgina Matheson
Harding Brewerton
Gerald Gaetz
Selwyn Simons
Goldie Jarvis
Lilian Krause
Nellie McLean
Walter Bullock
Evangeline George
Catherine Gunn
Clarence Webb
Charlie McLean
Edith Pearson
Evelyn Ayres
Melba Hogg
Walter McDonald
Glenn Michener
Helen Warwick
Elva Malcolm
George Cox
Preston Wright
Neva Welsh
Gertrude Munroe
Reuben Curr

Recommended:—
Willie Farnell

A. HOLT, Teacher

Grade VI to Grade VII

Irene Day
Harold Dawe
Laura Ardell
Frances Trueman
Rose Castle
Irene Lowes
Bernice Hepworth
Nancy Fowler
Beatrice Mosher
Kenneth Smith
David Stephenson, and
Clifton Porter (equal)
Donald Dale
Catharine Gibson
Sidney Snell
Dennis Snell
Ruby Skene
George Horn
Dorothy Tate
Willie Anderson
Arleen Parry
Lyman Welliver, and
Angus McLean (equal)
Evelyn Gaetz
Ronald Dale, and
David Muir (equal)
Clifford Metcalf
Albert Parry
Leonard Metcalf
Richard Champlin
Walter Huget
Billie Scott
Willie Harper
Ralph Bury
Roy Prentice

Recommended for six weeks' trial in Grade VII—
Thorpe Smith
Roy Huget

ETTA SMITH, Teacher

Grade V to VI

(In order of merit)
Arthur Gordon
Frances Payne
Dwight Strong
Ella Parsons
Jack Connell
Jack Graham
Jim Sanders
Harvey Luck
Muriel Tate
Beatrice Agnew
May Burns
Joe Mosely
Broughton Sharman
William Miller
Vida Trimble
Blanche Agnew
Jessie Sucee
Ralph Baynes
Betty Clarke
Ted Robertson
Stanley Porter
Mona Ball
Isobel Robertson
Ed. Pixley
Tom Reidy
Gordon Roche
Jack Stephenson
Norman Kee
Stanley Danecocks
Blair Birney
Charlie Harper
Laverne Weaver
Lewis Hamley
Wellington Dell
Ewart Shannon
Elaine Trimble
Andrew Cruickshank
Robert Burley
Floyd Weaver
Victor Curr

GERTRUDE L. SMITH, Teacher

PARISH HALL

Grade VII to Grade VIII

Dorothy Danecocks
Mabel Sucee
Florence Lindsay
Hazel Martin
Margaret Lindsay
Beatrice Wiltshire
Mariette Michiels
Bessie Thompson
Mildred Martin
Edith Kirkland
Eveline Wilson

Grade VI to Grade VII

Marguerite Steedman
Dorothy Gaetz
Phyllis Moyes
Mary Bannerman
Fidelia Martin
Regina Champlin
Alice Hay
Marguerite Goring
Violet Taylor
Lucy Simituk
Jennie Farnell
Gladys Bury

M. MYRTLE BRYSON, Teacher

Grade V to Grade VI

Lorraine Gehrke
Irma Birney
Daisy Wilson
Doris Webb
Margaret Langley
Marjorie McDougall
Marguerite Holtzman
Mabel Lavender
Lilly Turnquist
Frances Goring
Margaret Keighley
Doris Cruickshank
Florence Wilson

ELRID MACDUFF, Teacher.

Grade IV to Grade V

Beryl Stone
Marcella Simon
Esther Muir
Juanita Sinclair
Margaret Simituk
Edith Luck
Mary Webster
Gladys Dempster
Helen Waterson
Alice Anderson
Aileen Weaver
Olive Holtzman
Evelyn Melrose
Mary Steedman
Phyllis Melrose
Isabel Shannon
Thelma Prentice
Jean Goring
Florence Torgrud
Violet Evans
Mamie Farnell

Mary Smith did not take the examinations, but passed with an average of 81.03 for her term's work.

ELRID MACDUFF, Teacher.

CENTRAL SCHOOL

Grade IV to V

(In order of merit)
Phyllis Steward
Billie Connell
Helen Simons
Ernest Nicholls
Arthur Coghlin
Richard Simon
Iva Cunningham
Olive Stagg
Billie Trueman
Derek Smith
Evelyn Nicholls
Robert Harvey
Jack Brown
Roland Smith
Harry Russell
Richard Willing
Leonore Stephenson
James Cruickshank
Ethel McLaren
Donald Gaetz
Janet Sharman
Frances Russell
Isabel Cruickshank
Grant Balle
Victor Birney
Mary Russell
Joe Taylor
Bobby Munro
Howard Dale
Tommie Cornett
James Eby
Lyndon Brewerton
Roy Scott
Albert Zack
Woodrow Smith
Bob Morton
Neabitt Nelson
Calvin Helmer
Fred Horn
Roderick Humber
Martin Campbell
Johnny Powell

P. L. SATER, Teacher.

Grade IV t oV

Annie Ardell
Billy Ardell
Ralph Berry
Lucille Burley
Mabel Cunningham
Page Greig
William Hay
Dorothy Murray
Laurie Pearson
Wilbert Ringham
Lois Smith
John Smith (trial)
Douglas Stephenson
Leonard Trimble
Hong Wilson

Grade III to IV

Ruth Burley (trial)
Lila Card
Alfred Danecocks
John Farnell
Irene Hambly
Marion Hanna
Gertie Harper
Margaret Hepworth
Dorothy Hills
Catherine Hoskin
Isabel Johnson
Etta Kelly
Gordon Kelly (trial)
Eileen Krause
Sammy Luck
Janet Paton
Leonard Patterson
Ben Russell
Graham Sinclair
Peggy Snell
Adelyn Stephenson
Pat Sucee
George Woods
Tommy Woods

MARY REID, Teacher.

Grade III to IV

(In order of merit)
Beatrice Burnett
Frances Gordon
Lillian Babcock
Joy Russell
Jean Gall
Alec Patterson
Edwin Graham
Isabel Fisher
Harry McNally
Margaret Parsons
William Martin
Mike Zack
Gwen Muir
Freda Macdonnell
Maurice Gaetz
Helen Hayhoe
Billy Payne
Gerald Trueman
Joy Browerton
Jack Ainsworth
Reginald Farnell
Charlie Hopkins
Edna Sutherland
Alton White
Lawrence Robinson
Edna Jones
Willard Parry

Recommended:—
Norman Trimble
Maurice Robinson

Grade II to III

Clarence Hollingworth
Marjorie Stone
Walker Lindsay and
Bruce Fitzsimmons (equal)
Jean Muir
Betty Ball
Bruce McClure
Fred Rawlinson
Marjorie Jarvis
Crosby Cook

P. EBERT, Teacher.

Grade II Jr. to Grade II Sr.

Nathaniel Babcock
Ellswood Dawe
Jonie Foster
Franklyn Goring
Lucille Hambly
Doris Harper
Muriel Harvey
Moneta Hope
Gordon Huget
Walter Martin
Mary McNally
Norman Muir
Jack Munro
Madoline Patchett
Norma Rainey
Lillian Reidy
Jean Smith
Eva Sucee
Dorothy Wiltshire

Grade I to II

Margaret Carscallen
Clarence Cox
Phyllis Fisher
Philip Gordon
Fred Hanna
Miriam Horn
Marion Locke
Sarah Nelson
John Paton
Robert Reidy
Wallace Rice
Kathleen Russell
Ivy Shannon
Annie Simituk
John Steedman
Audrey Stephenson
Patsy Stephenson
Verne Wilkie

Grade I Jr. to Grade I Sr.

Geneva Brazier
Russel Burley
Nina Fitzsimmons
Jean Humber
Harold Jones
Dorothy Patchett
John Simituk
Archie Smith

EVA C. IRVING, Teacher.

SOUTH SCHOOL

Grade III to IV

Winnie Cheasam
Nellie Edis
Bertha Reighly
Ervin Wallace
Delmer Coghlin
Ray Bean
Elsie Moseley
Claud Griffin
Margerie Cunningham
Rose O'Hern
Russel Petersen
Marjory Agnew
Leonard Sheline
Flora McDonald
Evelyn Moseley
George Langley
Vernon Johnson
Rita Sheline
Thelma Halladay
George Russell
Margaret Francis

Recommended:—
Harry Hamley
Jean Dunlevie

A. THOMPSON, Teacher

Grade II to III

Isabel McLean
George Scott
Nessie Wright
Isabel Lamont
Mike Mackowichuk
Eileen Edis
Elizabeth Campbell
Edward Lindmark
Leonard Willings
Oscar Jones
Patsey Loxam
George McLevin
Joe Comer

Recommended:—
Janet Scott

A. THOMPSON, Teacher

Grade II to Grade II Sr.

Violet Butterfield
Ivy Comer, and
Gladwin Castle (equal)
Doris Lavender
Lucille Murphy
Glenna McIntyre
Theresa Russell
Ina Simons
Meta Stagg
Donald Agnew
Andrew Burns
Robert Burns
Edmund Caswell
Robert Cheesman
Alfred Ford
Kenneth Hamley
Harry Halladay
Noel Langley
Edward McCune
Herbert McCune
Fritz Markowichuk
Bertram Russell

Grade I to Grade II Jr.

Rena Agnew
Edna Coghlin
Olive Lamont
Emma Hills
Laura Scott
Margaret Thompson
Annie Wilson
May Johnson
Herbert Castle
Reuben Cruickshanks
James Francis
Cecil Fenton
Fred Krause
Donald McLevin
Edward Hills

ADA HELEN SMITH, Teacher.

CRIPPLED BY RHEUMATISM

Began to Improve After Taking "Fruit-a-tives"

The Medicine Made From Fruit

You can get rid of Rheumatism. You can be free of pain—of swollen hands and feet—of aching arms, legs and back.

"Fruit-a-tives" will drive the cause of Rheumatism out of the system and give you permanent relief.

"For over three years, I was confined to bed with Rheumatism. Finally I decided to try "Fruit-a-tives". Before using half a box, I noticed improvement. I continued taking "Fruit-a-tives" improving all the time. I can now walk about two miles and do chores around the place".

ALEX. MUNRO, Lorne, Ont.

50c. a box, 6 for $2.50, trial size 25c. At dealers or from Fruit-a-tives Limited, Ottawa, Ont.

NORTH RED DEER

Grade III Jr. to Grade III Sr.

Ione Simon
Marion Roberts
Flora Poteet
Grace Hart
Clara Martin
Archie Robinson
Verner Sinclair

Grade II to Grade III

Margaret Hagerty
Alma Taylor
Ida Stevenard
Irene Metcalf
Donald Dempster
Isabella Lyons

Grade I to Grade II

Helen Hagerty
Carl Herman
Telford Kirkland
Arthur Willett

Grade I Jr. to Grade I Sr.

Thelma Robinson
Charlie Roberts
Annie Sack
Mary Woods
Beulah Dempster
Rachel Kelly
Lawrence Harvey

DORIS PYKE, Teacher

HERE AND THERE

Smoking compartments are to be provided in the new wooden winged monoplanes for use on the London-Amsterdam-Berlin air route.

301,980,268 feet of lumber were produced from mills in the Ottawa Valley last season as against 238,116,764 feet in the 1921-1922 season.

Last season's grain shipments through the port of Montreal exceeded 153,000,000 bushels. Revenues reached $3,460,810 providing a surplus of $266,362.

Forest rangers of the Quebec and New Brunswick forestry departments will co-operate to the extent of covering fires on either side of the provincial border.

Two thousand maples and one thousand green ash trees, natives of Saskatchewan, were shipped to the Canadian War Memorial Park at Poperinghe, Belgium, recently.

Vancouver is to have direct consular trade relations with Spain. A vice-consulate has been established there which embraces the prairie provinces and is the only one west of Montreal.

During the year 1922 boring operations for the discovery of oil and gas in Alberta were continued to the extent of 230,000 feet, resulting in the discovery and development of a field with an output of 180,000,000 feet per day.

Despite reports of adverse conditions in the prairie provinces, Saskatchewan officials estimate that after paying all expenses the farmers of that province last year had $100,000,000 in net proceeds to apply on debts.

In 1906, in Iowa, a single head of oats was selected as being a desirable variety. In thirteen years this single head had multiplied to the extent that 1,500,000 acres were sown to it and showed an increased production of 6,500,000 bushels.

One of the largest timber sales that the Canadian Pacific Railway has made in several months has just been made on Vancouver Island. A group of Seattle lumbermen have acquired 12,000 acres of timber land at Horne Hill. The timber on this stand exceeds 200,000,000 feet.

Part of the plans for keeping the St. Lawrence open all winter submitted by Dimitry Jonavici, Roumanian engineer, to the Federal and Provincial Governments would call for the erection of a nine mile dam at the east end of Belle Isle strait, which would prevent the cold currents from the north entering the river.

The Bungalow Camps to be opened this year by the Canadian Pacific Railway in the French River, Nipigon and Lake of the Woods districts of Ontario will consist of a community house, containing a dining room with stone fireplace, surrounded by several double and single bungalows comfortably furnished for the accommodation of from one to four persons. A number of canvas houses will also be used.

The official opening of the Banff-Windermere Highway will take place on June 30th at Kootenay crossing, B.C. Motorists from all over Alberta, British Columbia and the Western States will be present in large numbers. A lunch will be provided for several thousand people at Kootenay Crossing. Prominent representatives will be present from the Canadian and United States Governments and from provincial and state governments on both sides of the line. The official opening will be marked by the cutting of red white and blue ribbons stretched across the roadway.

Wifey—"You used to say I was the light of your life."

Hubby—"Yes, but I didn't suppose you were going to get put out at every little thing."

CANADA'S PROSPERITY

Through Us Or In Spite of Us?

When the war was on, and this country was putting forth every effort, at home and overseas, to aid the allied cause, a great spirit of confidence and faith, of willingness to work, economize and sacrifice, filled every class of the community from the highest to the lowest.

As a result, Canada's honourable war record has set her high among the nations, with a place at the Imperial Council table and a voice in international affairs.

Canada must and will come, with equal honour, through the troublous times of post-war adjustment. The only question is, will all of us help—or some of us hinder, by pessimism, apathy, or class jealousy?

To the Canadian farmer this question comes with a peculiar force. Agriculture must be the economic balance wheel of this or any nation. It is an occupation where nature herself demands energy, courage, economy and efficiency. These sturdy qualities radiate from our farms to industries in other walks of life, where so many leaders were country born and bred. The farm home and farm life as the source of what has been and is the strongest and truest in our national character is intertwined with the history of Canada from its infancy. The settlers on the shores of New Brunswick and Nova Scotia, toiling to clear a patch of forest and sowing their grain among the stumps; Hebert and the pioneers of New France, fighting Indians, enduring privations, wrestling merely a rude living from their small clearings, but full of faith in the future, if not for them, then for generations yet to come; the men who rescued Upper Canada from the wilderness; the Red River colonist, who, after two years of complete destruction of their crops, sent a party to the Mississippi for seed grain for the next year and won! These men made possible the Canada of today.

The farmers of Canada, then, have a rich history and a noble tradition to live up to. Upon them Canada's progress has always, in the main, depended; upon them it will always, in the main, depend.

What, then, is necessary for the farmers of today? Simply the application of those qualities we have referred to—energy, courage, economy and efficiency, and under present-day conditions the return is sure and speedy. A very high percentage of farms owned by farmers in this country have been acquired and paid for in the farmer's own lifetime. For the present and future generations there is exactly the same opportunity. True, with each generation, and perhaps oftener, we may have to change our type of crops to meet changing market requirements, but surely this is a trifling task compared with that of those who had to establish themselves in a new country, create their farm, their community, their markets, and their civilization.

During the war years, the farmer, like most others, became unreasonably optimistic. As in other industries, he over-capitalized, tied up too much money in extravagant buildings and expensive machinery, bought tractors to get the crops in more quickly and easily, without considering whether the actual earning power of these warranted the investment. With the depression, which has followed, this over-expansion has been a serious burden and has shaken the faith of some in ultimate success.

We must get back the indomitable courage and untiring effort of Canada's early days. The farmer must remember that in the last analysis he is infinitely better off than the wage-earner of the city. True, his cash income may sometimes be small, but he can, at the very worst, gain his living from the soil, while in the city the larger wage soon melts away in paying for things which on the farm involves no cash outlay. The farm products are necessities of life and must always command a market. The products of city industries must often create their market and their sale is subject to wide fluctuations. Sure of a market, then, the farmers' main problem is simply the lowering of cost of production to permit of a fair margin of profit even at present prices. This can be done and is being done.

We may call attention to the advertisement placed in this issue by the Federal Department of Agriculture. It is more than an advertisement, it is a call to united and cheerful effort, a summons to the Canadian spirit of the "will to win" which has burned so brightly throughout Canada's history—a spirit which is so well shown in a message received in Ottawa only a few days ago from one of the foremost farmers of the Province of Alberta. He says: "It started to rain the last part of the week, and this coming after the recent heavy rains has put the soil in a condition that it has not been in at this time of the year since 1916; the farmers are consequently very jubilant and if optimism could pay debts the farmers of Southern Alberta could by next fall cancel our National Debt."

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C.N.R. TIME TABLE

Change of Time June 24th.

Train 211, Westbound, Monday, Wednesday and Friday—

Leave Big Valley	6:00k
Arrive Red Deer	11:45
Leave Red Deer	12:15
Arrive Sylvan Lake	13:18
Arrive Eckville	14:02
Arrive Lesilieville	14:37
Arrive R. M. House	16:20
Leave R. M. House	15:30
Horburg	16:35
Lamoral	17:09
Saunders	18:01
Stolberg	18:31
Harlech	18:46
Arrive Brazeau	19:15

Train 212, Eastbound, Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday—

Leave Brazeau	7:00k
Harlech	7:26
Stolberg	7:47
Saunders	8:05
Lamoral	8:54
Horburg	9:30
Arrive R. M. House	10:30
Leave R. M. House	11:00
Lesilieville	11:55
Eckville	12:35
Sylvan Lake	14:00
Arrive Red Deer	16:20
Leave Red Deer	15:35
Arrive Big Valley	21:15

RE-UNION OF OLDS SCHOOL OF AGRICULTURE STUDENTS

In place of the one day re-union which has heretofore been held during midsummer, the executive of the Alumni Association of the School of Agriculture at Olds plan this year to make the annual event of two days' duration. This extension admits of a far more comprehensive program than has previously been possible.

Additional to the ever successful social side of the re-unions, a series of lecture on problems confronting the men and women on the farm has been arranged. Men prominent in the agricultural life of the province have signified their willingness to address the ex-students, and these addresses, followed by discussions, will undoubtedly result in benefit to those attending. A close survey of the results of work undertaken on the school plots and farm will also be a feature.

The Alumni Association of the Olds Agricultural School is in the seventh year of its life. From a small beginning it has grown until the membership list includes a large proportion of all students passing through the school. The volume of attendance at the semi-annual re-unions may be used as a criterion of the value of the work undertaken by the Association. A record breaking gathering is expected on July 19th and 20th. Ex-students are requested to get in touch with the Secretary at Olds, and together with their friends, make it a point to attend. Details of the program will be published at a later date.

JUDICIAL SALE

Pursuant to the final order for sale made by His Honour Judge Mahaffy, dated the 11th day of June, 1923, there will be offered for sale by Arthur Rogers, at the Sheriff's office, in the City of Red Deer, at 2.30 o'clock, on Friday, the 6th day of July, 1923, Lots One (1), Two (2), and Three (3), in Block Thirty-eight (38), as shown upon a map or plan of the townsite of Red Deer, of record in the Land Titles Office for the North Alberta Land Registration District as Plan K-3.

The vendor is informed that there is situated on the said premises a one and a half storey fully modern brick dwelling with frame stable in the rear thereof. The whole property is in good condition, and is located one block from the Red Deer post office.

The property will be offered for sale subject to a reserved bid, which will be made known at the time of sale.

Terms of payment: Ten percent. to the Plaintiff's solicitors at the time of sale; the balance to be paid into court within sixty days without interest. The sale is subject to the standing conditions of the court. Further particulars may be had from Payne & Graham, Barristers, Red Deer, Alberta.

Dated at Red Deer, Alberta, this 12th day of June, A.D. 1923.

E. S. HOGG,
Clerk of the Court.

Approved:
J. J. Mahaffy, L. J. S. C. A.

Let 'er Buck

We have just received one of the new **Standard SADDLES** that all riders in the

CALGARY STAMPEDE

will have to use: made strictly according to the rules of the **Stampede Contest Association.** No alterations or changes will be allowed.

Local riders who have looked it over declare it the "best yet."

Standard prices:—

Plain **$70.00**
Stamped **$75.00**

If you are interested, drop in and let us show you one.

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PHONE 40

Canada Confident of the Future

CANADA is endeavoring to regain her after-the-war stride in the midst of many difficulties, — debt, deflation and depression being some of them.

Quack remedies and academic theories beset her path on every side. Some suggest that our debt worries can best be eased by going further into debt. Others preach blue ruin, decry their own country and indulge in mischievous propaganda generally, while still others look for a new social order or some miraculous sign to indicate a better coming day—all this in apparent forgetfulness of the fact that just as there was no royal road to win the war, there is now no royal road to pay for it or regain our former buoyancy, vigor and confidence.

Some are leaving Canada hoping to escape taxation, only to find there is no escape anywhere. In seeking for easy remedies too many of us overlook the fact that the greatest remedy is honest, hard work faithfully and intelligently performed, accompanied by old-fashioned thrift.

It takes time, it takes patience, it takes grit. But every Canadian knows in his heart that Canada is coming through all right.

Our Experience Proves It

Look back over the path Canada has trod. The French Colonists, cut off from civilization by 3,000 miles of sea, faced a continent—a wilderness—without the aid of even a blazed trail. They had to fight savages, frosts, scurvy, loneliness and starvation.

The United Empire Loyalists subdued an unbroken forest in one generation, growing their first wheat amid the stumps and snags of the new clearing.

The Selkirk settlers came to Manitoba when the prairie was a buffalo pasture, and grew wheat where none had grown before and where those who knew the country best at that time said wheat would never grow. Today the Canadian prairies grow the finest wheat in the world.

In proportion to population Canada stands to-day among the wealthiest nations in the world, with average savings on deposit per family of $800. Canada's foreign trade per head of population stands amongst the highest of the commercial nations, being $192 per capita in 1922-23, as compared with $135 in 1913-14, the "peak" year before the war.

New Opportunities for Canada

In Canada, although prices in the world markets fell below war level, our farmers reaped last autumn the largest grain crop in Canadian history, and Canada became the world's largest exporter of wheat, thus in large measure making up for lower prices.

Last year, Great Britain, after an agitation extending over thirty years, removed the embargo on Canadian cattle, and a profitable and practically unlimited trade is opening up for Canadian stockers and feeders.

"The 20th Century belongs to Canada"—if Canadians keep faith.

The next article will suggest practical opportunities for profit making on our Canadian farms.

Have Faith in Canada

Authorized for publication by the
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W. R. MOTHERWELL, Minister. Dr. J. H. GRISDALE, Deputy Minister.

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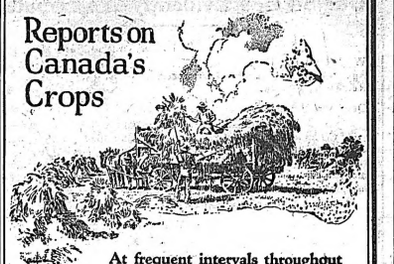
Reports on Canada's Crops



At frequent intervals throughout the season the Bank of Montreal issues reports on the progress of the crops in Canada. These reports, telegraphed to headquarters from the Managers of the Bank's 600 Branches, cover every Province and form a reliable index of crop conditions.

The reports are furnished free. Upon request at any Branch of the Bank your name will be placed on our mailing list.

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ADDED DUTIES UTILITIES BOARD START JULY 3RD

Municipal Finances Commission Will Automatically Cease Functioning

The investigation, adjustment and administration of municipal finances, in the case of any Alberta municipality in need of such attention, will pass on the first of July into the hands of the public utilities board. The new act passed at the recent session of the legislature comes into effect on that date, and in future the board will have greatly widened powers in respect to local government.

Among the changes that will thus be made will be the disappearance from the provincial machinery of the municipal finance commission and the commission working under the subdivided properties act, both of which have been functioning since 1919. The duties performed for the past four years by these bodies will now fall to the utilities board, which, it is understood, will carry on in practically the same way, so far as concerns the giving of assistance to municipalities in financial trouble.

Consolidation of Services

Hon. R. G. Reid, minister of municipal affairs, and Attorney-General Brownlee say that it is not anticipated at the present time that any additional machinery for the increased work of the board will be necessary, its personnel having been strengthened recently with this added responsibility in view. Consolidation of the service and some measure of economy resulting therefrom were the government's motives in making the change, and it is thought likely that, if the necessity arises, the assistance of some member or members of the late commission will still be available.

Both ministers express high appreciation of the work done by the commission now about to pass out. As a result of their operations, says Mr. Reid, the finance of the municipalities are in much better condition, and this has brought about a distinct improvement in the attitude of outside financiers toward Alberta generally. In the mere volume of work, too, that the two commissions have done they have more than justified their establishment, the minister declares.

Commissions Were Busy

The municipal finances commission is composed of Chief Justice Harvey, Mr. Justice Beck and H. M. E. Evans. It has held a large number of sittings in different parts of the province and has dealt with the financial affairs of the following towns and villages: Athabasca, Beverly, Wetaskiwin, Tofield, Wainwright, Bassano, Bow Island, Redcliff, Taber and Macleod. In all these cases adjustments of one kind or another have been made, or some line of action has been recommended as the best way out of the difficulty, and the respective municipalities are now carrying on along the lines so suggested.

Cancellation of subdivisions has been the work of the commission under the subdivided properties act, the members of which are H. Milton Martin, C. Y. Weaver and Clinton J. Ford of Calgary. A great volume of work has been put through by the commission, and enough subdivision land all over the province has been turned back to farm land to make a good-sized map. Cancellations in places of 5,000 population or more have been looked after by the public utilities board, which after July 1 will take over the entire work under the new act.

FERGUSON CALLED UPON TO FORM NEW GOVERNMENT

PREMIER DRURY TENDERS RESIGNATION TO TAKE EFFECT JULY 16

Toronto, June 27.—The lieutenant-governor of Ontario yesterday afternoon formally invited Hon. G. Howard Ferguson, leader of the Conservative party, which was swept into power by a huge majority in the elections yesterday, to form the next government of the province.

This action was taken after Premier E. C. Drury, following a meeting of the cabinet, had tendered his resignation to the lieutenant-governor, to take effect July 16.

Mr. Ferguson, in accepting the responsibilities of office, stated that he would be ready to assume the premiership as soon as the position was vacated by Mr. Drury.

Farmers' Second Group

According to latest reports from the various constituencies, the Conservatives will have seventy-five members in the legislature. The United Farmers will be the second largest group, with seventeen representatives, the Liberals having fallen into third place with fourteen. There will be four Labor members and one Independent. The advance of the United Farmers to second place was brought about by the election of Hon. Dougald Carmichael, in Grey Centre; Hon. H. C. Nixon, in North Brant; John G. Lethbridge, in West Middlesex. Until yesterday it was thought the Conservative candidates had been elected in Grey Centre and North Brant. The defeat of Charles Macfie, Liberal, previously announced as elected in West Middlesex, became known last night.

Ministers Defeated

In addition to the prime minister, members of the government defeated Monday were:

Hon. Peter Smith, provincial treasurer; Hon. R. H. Grant, minister of education; Hon. W. R. Rollo, minister of labor, and Hon. Harry Mills, minister of mines.

Interviewed yesterday, Premier Drury declared that defeat was not a pleasant thing, but a public man should accept it philosophically. He had the personal satisfaction, he said, of looking back, mentally, upon a cleanly conducted government and a fair election campaign, all of which meant a clearness of conscience that was everything to a man at such a time.

Blames "Wet" Vote

Mr. Drury attributed his defeat to the "wet" vote. The "wets" in the province, he believed, constituted a sufficiently strong element to elect any one party with which they aligned themselves.

Hon. W. E. Raney, who, as attorney-general, was a prominent figure in the defeated government, declared yesterday that a rumor to the effect that he would resign his seat rather than go into opposition, was without foundation.

Mr. Ferguson is not expected to announce for some days the formation of his cabinet. During the course of his campaign of northern Ontario the premier-designate intimated that Charles McCrae, of Sudbury, would be selected as minister of mines.

W. F. Nickle, K.C., elected by acclamation in Kingston; Colonel W. H. Price, Parkdale; Hon. G. S. Henry, East York; Sir Adam Beck, London, and M. M. Nachrieb, Brantford, are among those mentioned as probable ministers.

It is possible that Mr. Raney may become the recognized leader of the opposition.

"With the retirement of Wellington Hay to private life, W. E. N. Sinclair, K.C., member for South Ontario, is regarded as the probable leader of the Liberals.

"The people have spoken and I am quite willing to abide by the will of the people," said Wellington Hay, Liberal leader, today.

It is generally thought that Mr. Hay will retire from political life

EXPORT CATTLE TRADE

Showing for the First Quarter of the Year Compared With Last Year

The markets intelligence report of the Dominion Live Stock Branch for the first quarter of 1923 is particularly full and interesting and should be well studied by everyone concerned in the livestock and meat trade of the country. Following are some of the facts to be gleaned:

That the marketings of cattle at Canadian stockyards during the quarter were approximately 149,000 compared with 129,000 in the same period last year.

That cattle prices during March were on the average about 25 percent. lower in the west and about even in the east compared with prices in the previous month, and that at the close they were 50c up in the west and $1 in the east.

That the store cattle movement this year for the quarter totalled 18,937 compared with 14,804 for the same period last year.

That the increase is largely due to good prospects for trade in the autumn feeder markets in Great Britain. That prices in March were about a dollar higher than in February. That a feature of the store cattle market was the general high standard of the purchases.

That the hog movement was 31 per cent. greater up to March 31, this year than last year, that slaughterings were 29 percent. more this year than last, and that prices on the average were about three dollars down.

That the sheep and lamb movement is about 5,000 head this year more than last year, and that prices for good lambs in March were 50c to $1 better than in March, 1922.

That the export trade in cattle and calves showed up in the first three months of this year almost 200 per cent. better than last year, that the export of beef was approximately 62 percent. better, that bacon was 12 percent. better, and pork 186 percent. better. Exports of sheep and mutton were lighter.

That all Canadian stores offered in Great Britain have sold at high prices, the average being well in line with the prices ruling for domestic stock

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A TINY SONGSTER

Under the eaves of the back porch an old syrup can was fastened in the hopes that a wren might make it his home. A day or two later a wren inspected the house and the next day the family moved in. That was about the twentieth of April. It was a very great pleasure to have them so near the house on account of their merry music. The wren's song seems to be a cheery bubble of music as spontaneous as a jet from a fountain, and he tilts his head back and sings with the joy and abandon of a Caruso.

The wren is such a familiar bird that he hardly needs description. His tiny form, long pointed bill and beady eyes are distinctive, as well as his upstanding tail.

The nest is usually constructed of small twigs and grass, but one day the wren was seen trying to take a hairpin into the nest. As the prongs were wide spread and the opening in the can small, he failed after much effort. Another time he made an unsuccessful attempt to take a small square piece of wire fly-screen into the nest.

The feeding of the nestlings is very interesting, the food for the most part being small insects and bugs.

The wren is a great lover of attention. If you will but listen to his song he will sing loudly, but if you will praise him for it he will almost split his throat in an effort to make an impresion on you.

Although he sings but a few notes he is one of our most delightful songsters. Usually he perches to sing, but he is so full of music that he often sings on the wing.

EVERYBODY'S GRANDMOTHER

They boarded the street car, a company of bright-faced, rosy-cheeked children. Each carried a little lunch-basket. They were going out to the park for a picnic. They were a happy, noisy, laughing group, and their entrance wrought a most amazing transformation.

Among the half-dozen passengers, when the picnic party entered, was an old lady with white, white hair and a sweet, kind face. As the children jostled each other good-naturedly in their eager scrambling for seats, her eyes parkled in pleased understanding of their mood.

"Aren't they wonderful?" she asked of no one in particular. "Oh, I would just like to go with them on their outing! It would be such fun to watch them romp. I'm getting a glimpse of my own childhood."

"Have you any children of your own?" someone asked.

"Yes, indeed! I have seven children and twenty-five grand-children. I find myself constantly wishing for more."

"I have never yet," she continued, "seen a child in which I did not feel deeply interested. I shall regard it as being a very great calamity if I ever weary of the presence of children. When Jesus walked on earth, 'He took them in His arms, and blessed them.' And, do you know, I find myself wanting to do the very same thing!"

"I would like to have you for one of my grandmothers!" said a little miss of perhaps ten years.

"You sweet, little child," the lady answered, as she brushed aside a tear, "I regard that as being one of the finest compliments of my life, and I want each one of you to add me to your list of grandmothers right now!"

As she arose to leave the car, she handed a bill to the lady who had charge of the children. "I want you," she said, "to buy something for each one of them—something that will make the day happier and brighter."

"Whom shall we thank for all this? What is your name?" eagerly questioned the young woman.

"Oh, just think of me as everybody's grandmother!" she said, and she was gone.

But the passengers in the street car were not the same. They had felt the touch of a cleansing wind fresh from the hills of God!

Desperado—"Halt! If you move, you're dead."

Student—"My man, you should be more careful of your English. If I should move, it would be a positive sign that I was alive."

RESULTS OF MUSIC EXAMINATIONS

As a result of the examinations of the Toronto Academy of Music concluded at Red Deer on June 18 and 19 by Dr. Ernest McMillan, Toronto, pupils of Mme. Le Saunier obtained the following standing:—

Elementary

Honors—Joseph Moseley.

Preparatory

First-class Honors — Janice McDowell, Frances Gordon, Jean Knudson (Edmonton).

Pass—Fraser McDonald (Edmonton).

Primary

Honors — Hartwell Bennett, Lois Smith, Arthur Gordon.

Pass—Dorothy Knudson (Edmonton), Dorothy Whittaker, Frances Payne.

Junior

Pass—Ella Parsons.

Progressive

Pass—Kenneth Lowther (Edmonton) Catherine Pyke, Rhoda Brown.

Intermediate

First-class Honors—Frances Simpson (Edmonton).

Pass—Barbara Bannerman.

A.C.A.M.

Honors—Zelma Moyes, Jessie H. Galbraith.

Miss Emily Sveinson's pupils were:—

Preparatory

Honors—Jack Brown, Joyce Blair.

Primary

Pass—Helen Warwick, Jack Graham.

The following pupils of Mrs. S. Willie were successful in passing their examinations:—

Elementary

Honors—Mabel Lavender.

Pass—Lorraine Gehrke 68, Florence Wilson 68.

Preparatory

Pass—Arleen Parry.

Junior

Honors—Edith Pearson.

MARKETING OF SEED GRAIN

Considerable success accompanied the first season's work of the new provincial government seed cleaning plant, and the marketing of registered seed grain. Last fall it was decided to establish this plant for the purpose of assisting the producer of registered seed to dispose of the seed for seed purposes rather than to send it through the ordinary commercial channels.

In purchasing the machinery the greatest caution was exercised to get only the best. From the Huntley Manufacturing Co., of Tilsonburg, Ont., was purchased a Monitor Scalper with a full complement of screens and having a capacity of 450 bushels of grain per hour when run at maximum speed. An indent wheat grader and a rotary oat grader were purchased from the Vicker's Boby Rotary Company, England. These machines have a maximum of one hundred bushels per hour.

On account of its being the first year of operation, the unavoidable delays in getting the machinery from England and the rather uncertain market, the executive of the Alberta Seed Growers' Association, in conference with the officials of the Department, decided that the amount of grain taken in should be limited, and insisted on the quality being of the highest class. A total of 16,617 bushels of grain was admitted to the plant, made up as follows: Marquis wheat, 6,022 bushels, 12 lbs.; Ruby wheat, 2,184 bushels, 23 lbs.; Kitchener wheat, 776 bushels; Victory oats, 3,972 bushels, 12 lbs.; barley, 35 bushels, 39 lbs.; Banner oats, 3,827 bushels, 23 lbs. A good deal of this grain graded out very heavily from 10% to 33⅓. It would therefore appear to be advisable for each farmer to fan his grain before sending it to the plant, thereby eliminating freight charges on screenings.

With reference to freight on seed shipped to the plant the railroads issued a special tariff which reduced the freight to about 57% of the regular freight charges. This came into effect December 4th, 1922.

The demand for this high-class seed became very great as soon as the public learned of the quality and the very reasonable price asked for it. Grain was shipped to South Dakota, North Dakota, Colorado, Ontario, Manitoba, Saskatchewan, Minnesota, Iowa, British Columbia, Idaho, Michigan, Montana, Nebraska; and the Department of Colonization and Immigration, Ottawa (to be used for exhibition purposes in the United States, Great Britain and Europe). In addition 312 farmers in Alberta purchased seed.

Early in the spring the supply of seed at the plant was completely exhausted, consequently any later orders received were turned over to farmers who had on their farms registered seed for sale. Approximately 9,000 bushels were disposed of in this way, meaning that the Service was responsible during its initial year of marketing at least 25,000 bushels.

The prices realized varied according to the generation of the seed and to some extent to the quality. For first generation oats $1.50 was obtained; for 2nd generation $1.10 to $1.25; for 3rd generation $1.00, and for extra No. 1 90 cents. For first generation wheat $1.50 to $1.70; for 2nd generation $1.50; for third generation $1.40; for 4th generation $1.25, and for extra No. 1 $1.15. A small quantity of oats of especially high quality brought $3.00 per bushel, and wheat $2.50 per bushel for immigration purposes, this grain being purchased by the Dominion Government.

He—"I like cheerfulness. I admire anyone who sings at his work."

She—"How you must love a mosquito."

Pa—"At last I've found a way to make that young scamp of ours stop winking his eyes."

Ma—"How?"

Pa—"I'll show him the article in this science magazine where it says that every time we wink we give the eye a bath."

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CANADIAN PACIFIC

GENERAL CHANGE in TRAIN SERVICE

Times for trains at Red Deer will be:

Northbound:

	Arrive	Leave
Daily—		
No. 521	4:55 a.m.	5:00 a.m.
No. 525	5:40 p.m.	5:45 p.m.
Daily except Sundays—		
No. 523	11:40 a.m.	11:50 a.m.

Southbound:

Daily—		
No. 526	3:25 a.m.	3:30 a.m.
No. 522	10:45 a.m.	10:55 a.m.
Daily except Sundays—		
No. 524	3:30 p.m.	3:35 p.m.

Westbound

Monday, Wednesday, Friday—No. 613, Leave at 12:00 (noon).

Eastbound

Tuesday, Thursday, Saturday, No. 614 Arrive at 10.20 a.m.

TRANS-CANADA LIMITED, Nos. 7 and 8, all standard sleeping cars between Montreal, Toronto and Vancouver will be resumed, first train leaves each of these points on May 20th, 1923.

THE MOUNTAINEER, Trains Nos. 13 and 14, between St. Paul and Vancouver, will be resumed, first through train passing Calgary Westbound June 13th, and Eastbound June 12th.

For further particulars apply to any Ticket Agent.

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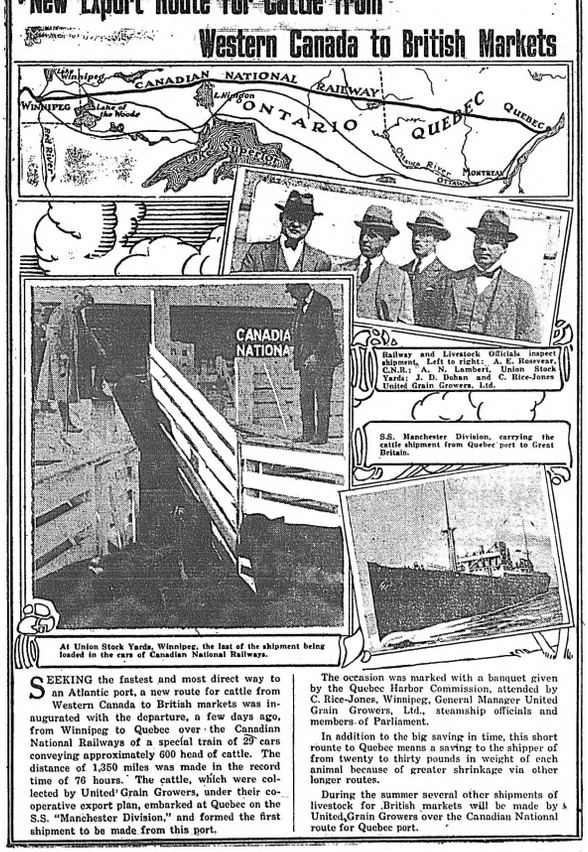

SEEKING the fastest and most direct way to an Atlantic port, a new route for cattle from Western Canada to British markets was inaugurated with the departure, a few days ago, from Winnipeg to Quebec over the Canadian National Railways of a special train of 29 cars conveying approximately 600 head of cattle. The distance of 1,350 miles was made in the record time of 76 hours. The cattle, which were collected by United Grain Growers, under their co-operative export plan, embarked at Quebec on the S.S. "Manchester Division," and formed the first shipment to be made from this port.

The occasion was marked with a banquet given by the Quebec Harbor Commission, attended by C. Rice-Jones, Winnipeg, General Manager United Grain Growers, Ltd., steamship officials and members of Parliament.

In addition to the big saving in time, this short rounte to Quebec means a saving to the shipper of from twenty to thirty pounds in weight of each animal because of greater shrinkage via other longer routes.

During the summer several other shipments of livestock for British markets will be made by a United Grain Growers over the Canadian National route for Quebec port.

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DO YOU WANT ANY ODD JOBS done round your house or garden? Phone Kerr, 328, and a returned man will do them. June 27, tf.

AM PREPARED TO FURNISH rooms and board for the summer; rates reasonable. Mrs. James M. Meyers, Sylvan Lake, Alta. June 27, 3w.

KEYS FOUND—A BUNCH OF twenty-five keys were found by P. Hollingsworth, June 19. They can be had at News Office. June 19.

FOR SALE—GOOD CAR, $350, OR trade for Ford. Phone 200. June 27, tf.

FOR SALE—FIRST CLASS RHUbarb; 30 lbs. for $1.00. Apply to Mrs. Joseph Cole, Victoria Avenue. June 26, 3w*

FOR SALE—21 HEAD OF CATTLE for sale, including 7 milch cows, 3 of which are fresh.—Mrs. E. Bone, Poplar Ridge. May 10, tf.

TO LET—A GOOD 8-ROOMED house, on and after July 1st; large grounds; good stable on property. Rent, $12.00 per month. Apply to Geo. H. Best, 51, First St. South, Red Deer. June 13.

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June 19, 2w*

TEACHER WANTED

Applications wanted for the Pine Hill S. D. No. 551, duties to commence August 27th, 1923. Applicants state qualifications and salary required.

F. K. JOHNSON, Sec.-Treas.
Red Deer, R.R No 1, June 27, 3w*.

Marion Williams is shown above in Mormon Temple robes, taking an oath of treason against the United States government.

She will address an anti-Mormon mass meeting in the Baptist Church on Sunday, July 8th, at 7.30. A collection will be taken.

She will address a meeting for women only on Monday, July 9th, at 3 o'clock sharp. There will be a charge at the door for this meeting.

EDMONTON GETS ELKS' 1924 CONVENTION

Edmonton has been chosen as the location for the 1924 convention of the Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks of Canada and Newfoundland, according to information received by R. B. McCleish, exalted ruler of Edmonton Elks Lodge, No. 31. The selection was made at a dominion convention of Elks, held in Banff on June 26-27-28, with delegates from all parts of Canada in attendance.

Local Elks are feeling considerably elated over the decision, since it is felt that a convention with the scope of that mentioned will be of much assistance in giving Edmonton a still more prominent place in Elkdom.

Word has also been received to the effect that A. A. McLean, a senior officer of the Edmonton lodge, has been elected a grand esquire in the dominion body.

W. Frank Murphy, of Montreal, has been chosen grand exalted ruler for Canada.

In addition to transacting a considerable amount of business, the Elks during their convention in Banff had an enjoyable time. Wednesday was spent at Lake Louise, the delegates deriving much enjoyment from the visit.

COMING EVENTS

Ailin & Stephen's big sale. See ad.

Red Deer Fair, July 23, 24, 25.

The regular monthly meeting of the Poplar Grove U.F.A. will be held in the school house on Wednesday, July 11th, at 8 o'clock sharp.

The grand picnic by St. Andrew's Society and Evarts Caledonian Society has been postponed to July 18th at Sylvan Lake, owing to bad weather.

There will be a dance on Friday, July 6th, in the Divide community hall. The theatre orchestra will provide the music. Gents 75c; ladies bring refreshments.

"HEARTS AFLAME" COMING SOON

A photoplay that is in many respects a remarkable achievement is Reginald Barker's production, "Hearts Aflame," scheduled for presentation at the Rex Theatre on Friday. Advance criticisms place a great deal of emphasis on one episode especially, that in which a raging fire sweeps through a pine forest. Through the heart of this blaze a locomotive is driven by a young girl, who is determined to reach hillside and thus prevent the fire from a powder magazine in order to blast a spreading.

This forest fire scene is said to be one of the most impressive spectacles of its kind ever filmed. In order to present it, pine trees had to be transplanted from one location to another, and this work alone was a colossal undertaking. After the new forest was completed, the foliage was soaked with gasoline and ignited.

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